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VATICAN AS MEDIATOR IN DANZIG DISPUTE

WARSAW, TO-DAY.
MONSIGNOR CORTESI, THE
PAPAL NUNCIO, HAS RETURN-
ED TO ROME TO REPORT TO
THE VATICAN ON HIS RECENT
CONVERSATIONS WITH PRESI-
DENT MOSCICKI AND THE PO-
LISH FOREIGN MINISTER, COL.
BECK.

Mons. Cortesi had another talk
with Col. Beck on Saturday.

Official Polish quarters admit
that Mons. Cortesi made certain
soundings regarding the possibility
of a peaceful solution of the Dan-
zig dispute.

It is assumed that the Vatican
may move in Berlin if it is satis-
fied with the result of Mons. Cor-
tesi's talks in Warsaw.—Reuter.

ADMIRALTY AFTER ESCAPE APPARATUS

BELGRADE, TO-DAY.
A NEW APPARATUS FOR
WHICH THE CLAIM IS MADE
THAT THE ABSOLUTELY CER-
TAIN RESCUE OF CREWS FROM
WRECKED SUBMARINES LYING
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STRUCTED BY DUSHAN KUZ-
MANOWITCH, A BELGRADE EN-
GINEER.

The British Admiralty telegraphed
Kuzmanowitch on Saturday to
come to England to demonstrate
the capacity of his invention.

Both the British Admiralty and
the French naval authorities, when
approached on a former occasion,
had declined to adopt the Yugo-
Slav's invention.—Trans-Ocean.

Belgrade, To-day.

The Turkish Legations in Bel-
grade and Athens are to be raised
to the status of Embassies, states
a report from Istanbul.—Trans-
Ocean.

"Times" Thinks Tokyo Wants To Negotiate

London, To-day.

The latest news from Tokyo seems to suggest that
the Japanese Government is searching for an
opening of negotiations, says "The Times" this
morning.

The semi-official statement issued on Saturday, says
the journal, marks a great improvement on the
minatory language of the manifesto published
on June 13 by the Japanese army in North
China, which no self-respecting Power could
possibly tolerate.

Nevertheless it is pertinent to ask the meaning of
the passage which seems to draw a distinction
between British policy and that of the other
Powers with interests in China.

It is still too early to assume
that Japanese diplomacy has
taken charge of the situation.

If it has, so much the better,
otherwise the British Govern-
ment may be trusted to act with-
out hesitation in defence of Bri-
tish interests in the Far East.

Public opinion demands no-
thing less.

WAIT AND SEE

According to a view expressed in
London political circles, the British
Government will for the time being
take no new steps.

If, however, in the course of the
week there should be no improve-
ment, it is expected that Britain
will proceed to take measures of
economic reprisal and, to begin
with, will deprive Japan of the
right of the "most favoured
nation."

STATEMENT TO-DAY

Part of the Cabinet, led by Lord
Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, has
now decided not to submit to what

U.S. URGED TO STAND BY BRITAIN AND FRANCE

Shanghai, To-day.

In a leading article on Tientsin,
the "Evening Post and Mercury,"
only American journal in Shang-
hai, urges the United States to
stand by Britain and France.

The newspaper warns that
American failure to co-operate on
the technical grounds that America
has no territorial interest in Tien-
tsin, will only encourage the Ja-
panese to similar action at Shang-
hai later.—Reuter.

ITALIAN NAVAL MANOEUVRES

Rome, To-day.

A second Italian naval squa-
dron will begin a cruise in the
Eastern Mediterranean "for prac-
tice" on July 1.

Italian war vessels will visit
the ports of Lybia, an Italian is-
land in the Aegean Sea, and Al-
bania.—Trans-Ocean.

10 German Divisions On Border

Prague, To-day.

German troops movements to-
wards the Slovak border are re-
ported to have continued over the
week-end.

Large numbers of tanks, armour-
ed cars and transport vehicles have
been passing through Prague to
the eastward.

Nearly ten divisions are stated
to have concentrated on the bor-
der, mainly near Ostrau.—Reuter.

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ITALY GRABS BIG WAR INVENTION FROM BRITAIN

EXPERTS WANT RICH MEN TO AID SCIENTISTS

Britain has casually permitted to pass into Italian hands an invention which would have been of enormous value in time of war. This is an apparatus sensitive to infra-red rays, and capable of spotting aeroplanes in cloud or fog at any height and at any speed.

Swift location of hostile aircraft is vitally important in any plan of national defence.

Yet because Britain has no central organisation capable of handling new inventions, a present has been made, to a potential future enemy, of a device which might well substantially have reduced air raid risks in the British Isles.

After casual and unsatisfactory tests by British authorities, the apparatus was inspected by Italian military experts — in England.

A large sum of money changed hands and the inventor — the American born son of British parents — was persuaded to take up residence in Italy.

The experiences of the inventor make it clear that there is no body or bodies working for the Services which can adequately handle scientific discoveries of this type.

COLD SHOULDERED

It is claimed for the apparatus that it is sensitive to any object passing through its field, whatever

clouds or fog intervene. It can be used on ships for detecting the presence and position of other vessels below the horizon.

The Air Force, of course, is already using aeroplane detectors of extreme sensitiveness. These are based on the use of the photo-electric cell.

But is this any reason for cold-shouldering a new invention? The Italians also had aeroplane detectors — but they, nevertheless, thought it well worth while to take up a new type as well.

The gravest concern is expressed by military and naval experts.

They asserted that whatever inventor's claim is or is not substantiated, Britain is lagging behind other Powers in scientific preparation for war.

Fundamental research is neglected in all spheres of national service.

SCIENTIFIC WAR

Development of inventions for the fighting services is largely left to armament firms, for whom business considerations come before national service.

"The war we are preparing for, if it comes, will be a scientific war," said one retired officer. "Yet we have not a single physicist of repute attached to the army."

"The Fascist countries have behaved more intelligently. In Germany there is a scientific committee of physicists and technical officers which does nothing else but arrange for the development of new military inventions."

"I have tried to get rich men, including Lord Nuffield, to put up a fund and endow an independent organisation to take up all military and commercial inventions which would be useful to Britain and develop them on behalf of the Services."

"It should be an independent organisation. It should work for no person's gain."

"BRAINS TRUST" NEED

"So far, I have not been successful. But in Italy the inventor, Counh Elia, whose submarine mines brought him in £3,000,000 in royalties, endowed such an organisation."

"His wonderful laboratories and staff are entirely devoted to developing inventions for the services."

Sir John Anderson's appointment of a "Brains Trust" of eight leading scientists to consider A.R.P.

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FRENCH STILL BELIEVE IN OFFENSIVE

The French General Staff have completed one plan for forcing the German Siegfried Line.

French generals are convinced that only a war of attack can achieve results in the future.

They also have a defensive and offensive plan to meet a German attack through Switzerland; and an offensive plan for the Italian front.

might be a step in the right direction—if the "Brains Trust" is used, and does not remain a body that exists only on paper.

Meanwhile, the conference of executives of the building Unions has given the "Brains Trust" a lead by approving a scheme to deal with rescue work, demolition of damaged buildings and the rehabilitation of the civilian population in time of war.

All the technical resources of the building industry will be at the disposal of the nation.

REFUGEES FIND A HOME

Brussels, To-day.

The steamer St. Louis has arrived in Antwerp with 944 Jewish refugees on board, after a voyage which started on May 13.

The refugees, who were turned away from every port they visited, are now to be taken care of by the British, Netherlands, Belgian and French authorities.—Trans-Ocean.

LANDLORDS AT IT AGAIN

(Special to "China Mail")

New methods are being adopted by unscrupulous landlords to force tenants to give up possession of their residences.

On the pretext that the building needs renovating and reconstruction they give the tenants notice to quit.

Many tenants have been forced out of their houses in this way.

The same method was used on tenants living in houses in Lai-chikok Road recently, but after consulting their solicitors they refused to quit.

The owners, however, took no notice and a few days later workmen, employed by the owners, began taking down the shutters and windows, and scraping off the paint.

Several of the tenants were then forced to leave.

Legal action was taken and the work was stopped, while the residents returned.

It is learned that some of the tenants who have suffered financial loss are seeking redress, and that a writ has already been taken out against the owners of the houses.

The case, it is learned, will be heard in the Supreme Court next month.

OFF THE RECORD

By ED REED.



Here's Luck

EW O BEER

Mary Pickford, At 46, Says 'I Dare Not look Back'

TOO SAD TO SEE THAT GIRL OF 02

London, June 6.

Three Mary Pickfords — the philosopher, the business woman, and Mrs. Buddy Rogers — left the Normandie at Spithead yesterday and travelled up Southampton Water in a tender with me, writes Paul Bewsher.

No. 1. Mary the philosopher — she is probably the only woman in the world who can summon up her past self, for nearly 30 years back — and she won't do it.

Locked away in her Hollywood studio, she told me, are hundreds of tin boxes containing every film she has made.

She can see herself rushing about as a tomboy of 16—smiling gently as an ingenue of 20, "the World's Sweetheart"—walking with the quiet dignity and grace of a woman of 35.

"Don't you see why I never look back?" she said. "Those Mary Pickfords of the past are not me. They are strangers. We live through a series of lives. We change."

SAME SMILE

I was thinking that she looked little different from the golden-haired girl who received an historic welcome here 20 years ago. Profile, smile, sparkling eyes—all unaltered.

"I may look much the same," she said. "But those old films make me think I am looking at somebody else, somebody I can't quite understand — with different ideas, different ambitions, different thoughts."

"After all, we are different people at 20, and 30, and 40. There is certainly the same fibre running through us—perhaps something we have inherited, perhaps an innate sense of right or wrong. But all the rest is different."

BACK TO SLAPSTICK

"How many of these lives do we have? Well, I should say Shakespeare was right—he generally is. He says man has seven ages. I can live three of them at least over again from my film library—but I won't."

No 2. Then I met the second Mary Pickford. Mary, The Business Woman, is one of the shrewdest brains in the film industry, reputed to be worth, at the age of 46, well over £1,000,000. She is probably one of the richest women in the world from earned income. She gave me a remarkable forecast about the development of the cinema.

"Television means that film production will probably go right back to the beginning," she said.

LIKE EARLY FILMS

"Special short films will be made for television screens. These will be like the earliest films—rather crude comedy with plenty of movement, lots of people jumping in and out of cabs and things like that—to suit the imperfect transmission. Drama, too, will be crude. As television improves the films will improve."

"Meanwhile the high standard films for ordinary cinemas will be produced just the same. The star system will continue. It must. Producers will encourage it—because it guarantees returns for very ex-

pensive productions."

FIRST HOLIDAY

No 3. Last Mary of was — Mrs. Buddy Rogers, wife of the American band leader who is with her on this trip. He is aged 36.

"Our first holiday since we were married two years ago," she said, smiling at Buddy. He's away such a lot in the States on engagements.

"Whenever he broadcasts I listen in, and then call him up on long-distance, tell him what was good—and then just tell him what was wrong."

They received a tumultuous welcome at Waterloo, will pay a tourist visit to London—seeing the Tower of London and the Abbey. Then they will go to Scotland, before spending several weeks on the Continent.

LOCAL DOCTOR CENSURED BY MEDICAL BODY

A qualified physician has been censured by the local Medical authorities, it is reported, following investigation into serious allegations that he was involved in selling cholera inoculation certificates to persons who in fact had not been inoculated.

It is learned that the physician was alleged to have been selling such certificates at \$1.

Following investigations the matter was brought up for discussion by the Hong Kong Chinese Medical Association by whom it was referred to the local authorities, who decided to severely censure the doctor.

50 D.B.S. BOYS GO BACK

"The China Mail" was informed this morning by the Headmaster of the Diocesan Boys' School that some 50 more students returned this morning.

The headmaster denied rumours that a communication in the form of an ultimatum was conveyed to him by the "strikers" who, it was reported, informed the Headmaster that they would resume studies only when the present head prefect is relieved of his post.

HITLER RECEIVES ARAB ENVOY

Berlin, To-day.

The announcement that Hitler on Saturday received Khalid Al-hud, special emissary of King Ibn Saud of Saudi-Arabia, has come as a surprise.

The meeting was at Berchtesgaden, where Hitler and Khalid Al-hud had tea together.

The conversation lasted a considerable time, but nothing is revealed as to its nature.—Reuter.

EXACTING RETRIBUTION FROM JAPAN

LONDON, TO-DAY.

"THERE IS MORE THAN ONE WAY OF MAKING THE JAPANESE LOSE FACE, JUST AS THERE IS MORE THAN ONE WAY OF EXACTING ECONOMIC RETRIBUTION FROM JAPAN FOR THE UNJUSTIFIED PRESSURE SHE IS ENDEAVOURING TO EXERCISE," DECLARES THE DAILY TELEGRAPH THIS MORNING.

But, continues the journal, it is essential that meanwhile the beleaguered inhabitants of the Tientsin Concession shall not be allowed to starve.

Either the local Japanese must be diplomatically persuaded to relax the blockade or food must be sent in a British warship.

American as well as British citizens are involved, and the arrival of Admiral Yarnell (the United States commander-in-chief) may prove the turning point in the local crisis.

Saying that there is no excuse for yielding the Concessions at present, the paper adds: The "Imperialism" of the Western Powers may have driven some hard bargains with the Chinese, but Japanese Imperialism does not drive bargains at all. Its object is to exploit the resources of China and its manpower not by treaties but by the menace of the bayonet. — Reuter.

DETECTIVE HERO MAY BE REWARDED

(Special to "China Mail")

DETECTIVE TAM CHUNG, HERO OF THE SENSATIONAL "LEE YUEN STREET SHOOTING AFFAIR" IN WHICH CHINESE DETECTIVE WAN MAN WAS KILLED, MAY SHORTLY RECEIVE RECOGNITION FOR HIS BRAVERY FROM THE GOVERNMENT, FOLLOWING A RECOMMENDATION MADE DURING THE WEEK BY THE HON.

SIR ROBERT KOTEWALL TO THE ACTING-COMMISSIONER OF POLICE, MR. C. G. PERDUE.

On Wednesday, Sir Robert Kotewall, on behalf of Mr. M. K. Lo, Mr. T. N. Chau, Mr. Thomas Tam, and himself, visited the Acting Commissioner of Police and, in the name of the Chinese community of Hong Kong, expressed condolence to the Police Force for the loss of Wan Man.

Sir Robert also stated that the Chinese community wished to convey through the Commissioner of Police their admiration for the courage and bravery shown by detective Tam Chung in the execution of his duty.

Finally, Sir Robert recommended to Mr. Perdue that suitable recognition of Detective Tam Chung's bravery be made by the Government.

Mr. Perdue, on behalf of the Hong Kong Police Force, expressed thanks to Sir Robert Kotewall and his colleagues, and promised that the recommendation would be sent to the higher authorities through the proper channels.

The "China Mail" also learns that some \$2,000 has been subscribed by different firms and individuals to the Detective Wan Man's Dependents' Fund, two of which have been organised, one by the four Chinese members of the Legislative Council, and the other, by the "Wah Kiu Yat Pao."

Over \$1,000 has been received by Mr. M. K. Lo, while the "Wah Kiu Fund" has realised some \$500.

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NORTHERN STATES ARE DEMOCRATIC AND NEUTRAL

Oslo, Today.

The Norwegian, Swedish and Danish Prime Ministers addressed a Labour meeting in Frederikstaad yesterday, outlining the views of their Cabinets on the political situation.

The speech of Mr. J. Nygaardsvold, the Norwegian Prime Minister, culminated in a categorical declaration that Norway's policy was democratic and neutral.

Mr. P. A. Hansson, the Swedish Prime Minister, stressed the political stability of the northern countries, where peace, freedom and democracy were land-marks of development.

Mr. A. M. Stauning, the Danish Prime Minister, emphasized that the northern nations disliked Communism as well as other foreign movements and desired neither newspaper dictatorship, monarchy, nor world revolution.

The northern countries desired neither economic nor military alliances.—Trans-Ocean.

TAI PO POLICE AMBUSH RECALLED: MEN IN COURT

Three suspected robbers, who were arrested by the police in Tai Po Road a fortnight ago, when an ambush was set, appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen this morning.

First accused was charged with possession of one automatic pistol and 11 rounds of ammunition without a licence.

He was Chan Yuk, aged 25, who was wounded in the leg by a bullet fired by Det.-Sgt. C. Pope in the course of a chase. He was only discharged from hospital yesterday.

The other two men, Lam Kau and Wong Wai, were charged with possession of an automatic pistol and a revolver and 15 rounds of ammunition without a licence.

At the request of Det.-Sgt. C. Pope, the men were remanded for three days.

LO FAT GOES TO JAIL

London, June 6.

Lo Fat, Chinese ship's steward, who smuggled opium into England, said, when he was jailed for two months at Sheerness (Kent) yesterday, that the opium was given to him by a Chinese in Rotterdam who told him to hand it over to another Chinese who would be waiting in a bar in Manchester.

A preventive officer told the court: "It would not be so bad if the Chinese kept this illicit trade to themselves, but we find an increasing number of white people indulging in this pernicious habit."

JAPANESE TIENTSIN ATROCITIES: HORRIBLE DEATH OF PEDDLERS

CHUNGKING, TO-DAY.

SEVEN OF THE EIGHTEEN CHINESE VEGETABLE PEDDLERS ARRESTED BY THE JAPANESE IN TIENTSIN ON SATURDAY MORNING HAVE SINCE DIED OF HEAT AND WERE SUBSEQUENTLY BURNED BY THE JAPANESE IN THE HAIKWANGSSU CREMATION GROUND.

SHANGHAI MAN WINS MORRIS CAR RALLY

London, June 5.

A prize for the car coming the longest distance to the seventh Annual Rally for Morris car owners in Donington Park yesterday was won by Mr. Gilbert H. Jolley, of Metropolitan Vickers Electric, Shanghai Office.

Mr. Jolley reached Oxford on leave on Friday, having driven 15,000 miles in a 1935 Morris Ten.

He came through Indo-China, Siam, Burma, India, Persia, the Balkans, Germany and Belgium.

The oldest car in the rally was a 1924 model, driven by its original owner, Miss A. F. Sandes, Oakwell Drive, Ilkeston, Derbyshire.

Mr. B. Randle, Gainsborough Road, Leicester, won the News Chronicle Cup for the best kept Series I. Morris 8 four-door saloon.

"DECLARATION OF WAR AGAINST BRITISH EMPIRE"

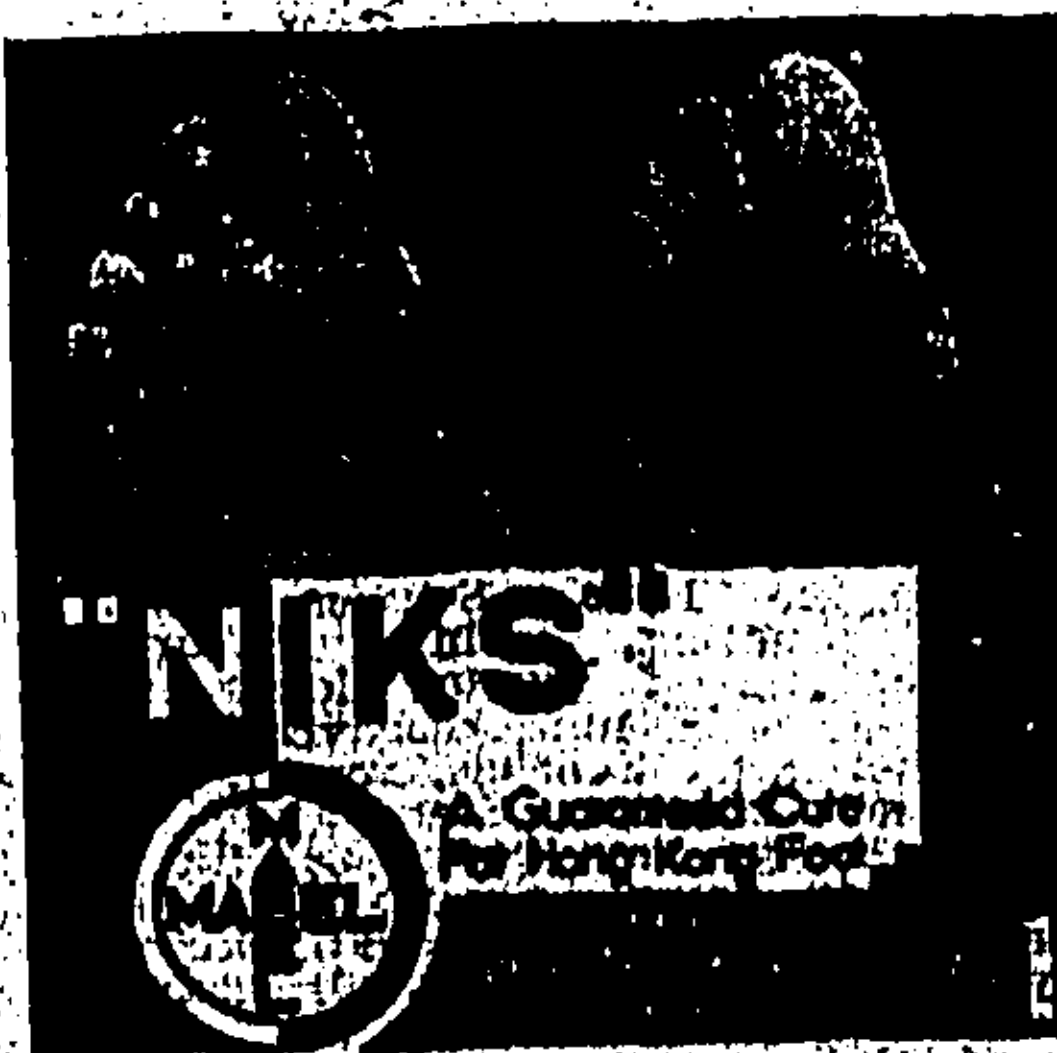
LONDON, TO-DAY.

"EVENTS AT TIENTSIN WITH THE SUPPORT GIVEN TO JAPAN BY GERMANY AND ITALY, REALLY AMOUNT TO A DECLARATION OF WAR AGAINST THE BRITISH EMPIRE," DECLARED ADMIRAL SIR ROGER KEYES, ADDRESSING A PARADE OF A.R.P. VOLUNTEERS IN LONDON LAST NIGHT.

"It is a challenge which must be met," Admiral Keyes added.

The speaker was convinced that if we were resolute and firm and showed the whole world that Britain was ready to enter the struggle, making full use of her wealth, industry and manpower, we could win without a clash of arms. — Reuter.

The P. and O. vessel Chitral, which left Singapore on Saturday, is due in Hong Kong at about 6 p.m. on Wednesday.



Before their death, the unfortunate Chinese were subjected to a terrible ordeal. Stripped entirely naked, they were lined up and ordered to kneel on an open lot on Chiushan Street. Each with an empty kerosene tin slipped over the head, they were literally scorched to death by the terrific heat of the midday sun.

OTHERS SHOT

The bodies of the dead peddlers were then dragged to the cremation ground and burned.

Two other peddlers trying to crawl through the Japanese barbed wire barricade into the British Concession with their supply of vegetables were caught by Japanese sentinels on Saturday noon. They were brought to Haikwangssu and summarily shot.

The situation in the British and French Concessions is steadily becoming worse, especially with the approaching of the Dragon Boat Festival, which falls on Wednesday next. An ironic feature of the blockade is that the Japanese Concession and the native city are equally affected, as both these two zones usually have the largest share of business with the isolated British and French Concessions during the festival.

DURHAMS FETCH FOOD

Collections in the two Concessions, which fall due on the Dragon Boat Day, will be impossible, and fears are freely expressed that many firms in the Chinese city and the Japanese Concession will be frozen to insolvency.

To alleviate the worsening food situation, the British authorities despatched seven trucks, under the escort of armed Durhams, to the Italian Concession and bought up large quantities of vegetables on Saturday.

On both their outward and return trips through the International Bridge the trucks were unchallenged by the Japanese sentinels. — Central News.

RUMANIA SAYS A DEFINITE "NO"

SILISTRA (SOUTHERN RUMANIA), TO-DAY.

HOPES RECENTLY EXPRESSED IN SOFIA (THE BULGARIAN CAPITAL) THAT RUMANIA MIGHT OFFER TO CEDE PART OF THE DOBRUDJA TO BULGARIA AS CONDITION FOR THE LATTER'S ENTRY INTO THE BALKAN ENTENTE, WERE ANSWERED NEGATIVELY BY MINISTER TITSANU YESTERDAY.

M. Titsanu was unveiling a statue to King Ferdinand I. of Rumania. "Too much is spoken about minorities settled in Rumania, and too little about Rumanian minorities outside our frontiers—frontiers which are consecrated by history and justice," he declared. — Reuter.

QUEEN'S & ALHAMBRA

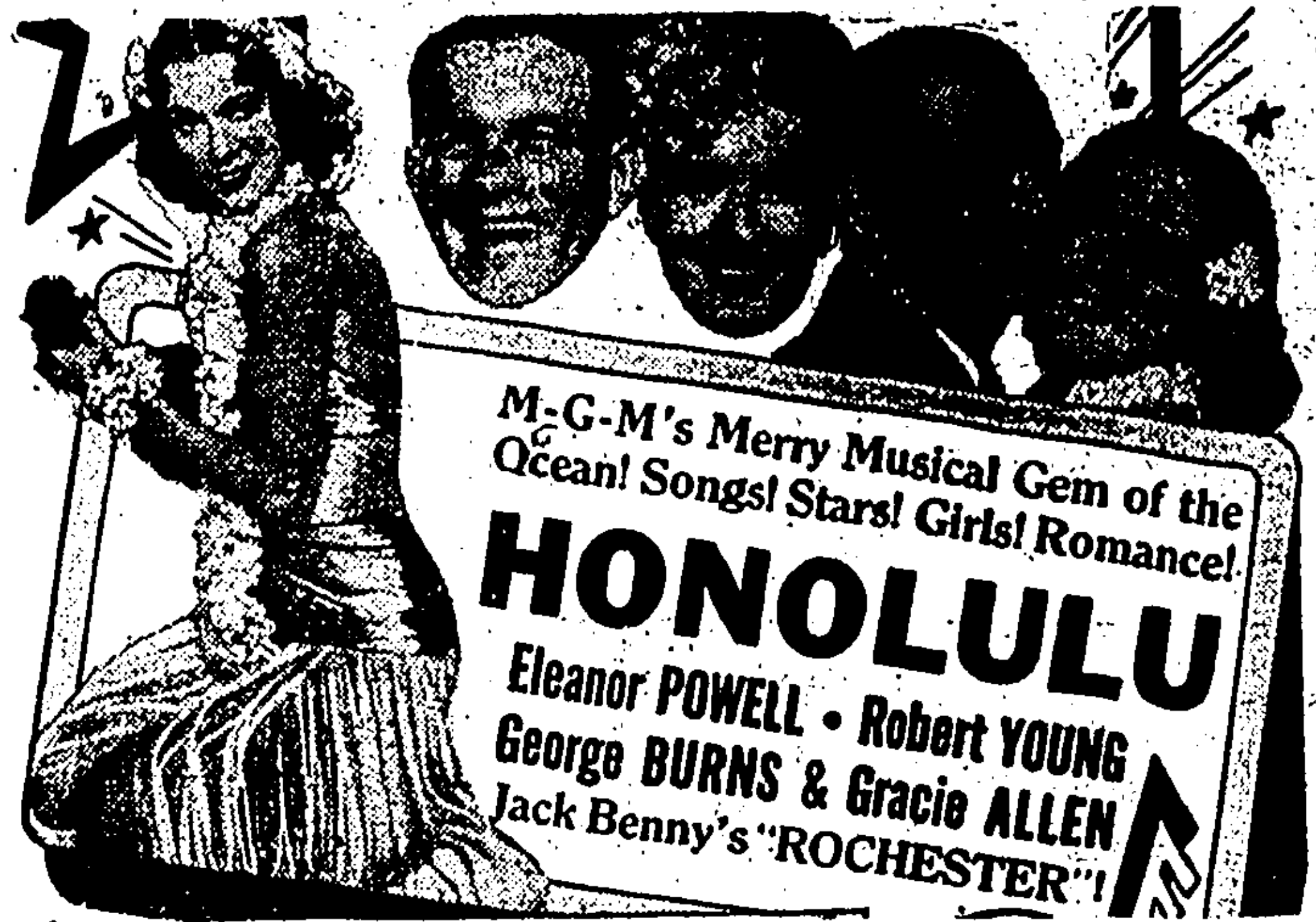
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Before Mr. T. J. Houston at the Central Magistracy this morning, Cheng Shing, 31, shop foki, was charged with giving a bribe of \$1 to Police-Sergeant B323, Abdullah, at Des Voeux Road West near Water Street on Saturday.

Inspector W. Mair said that at about 8.45 a.m. on Saturday morning, the Indian Sergeant saw an obstruction of wooden boxes on the footpath in Des Voeux Road West.

He ordered it to be removed, and defendant then gave the Sergeant a dollar and told him to overlook the matter.

Defendant was fined \$100 or three months' hard labour.

JAPANESE WITHOUT A PASSPORT

A 39-year-old Japanese, Junichi Masui, appeared this morning at the Central Magistracy before Mr. R. Edwards on a charge of having no valid passport.

Defendant, who lives at No. 20 Ice House Street, told the Court he did not think that it was necessary to renew the passport which he had but was now not valid. He was fined \$10.

Sub-Inspector Langley prosecuted.

CANADIANS TO WELCOME KING

London, To-day.

It is understood that the High Commissioner for Canada and other Canadian authorities in London have under consideration arrangements for bringing together a gathering of Canadians to give an official reception to the King and Queen shortly after their return.

It will afford the first public opportunity to the King to give a few of his impressions of his tour of the Dominion and the visit to the United States.—Our Own Correspondent.

AXIS PROPAGANDA IN NEAR EAST

London, To-day.

The Government and the B.B.C. will have to consider how they can improve reception in the Near East of the short-wave broadcasts in Arabic transmitted from London.

Complaints are being received of the inferiority in strength and reliability of the B.B.C. emissions compared with those from Berlin and Bari.

The matter warrants consideration of the erection of a transmitter in Cyprus or in some other convenient spot.—Our Own Correspondent.

OIL FOR TEA

Suffering from poisoning, a Chinese, Ng Chun-cheung, was treated at the Kowloon Hospital yesterday.

The man drank automobile oil in mistake for tea.

ROYAL OBSERVATORY REPORT

In spite of the high wind, minimum temperature last night was 82 degrees, after a maximum yesterday of 86. Temperature this morning was 84, with humidity 82 per cent.

The Royal Observatory reports that a weak anticyclonic area covers the Pacific to the east of Japan; a ridge of high pressure extends from it to south Korea.

The depression over Tongking and south-west China has deepened, and a trough of low pressure extends eastwards, across Formosa to the Bonin Islands.

SENTENCES ON BANISHEES

Tang Chi, 36, unemployed, was charged this morning before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy with a breach of the deportation ordinances.

He was sentenced to six month's hard labour.

Another Chinese youth, Ho Wing, 20, was sentenced to nine month's hard labour for the same offence.

GAMBLER IT AWAY

A 20-year-old office boy, Mak Kan, was charged at the Central Magistracy this morning with losing \$40, which he had been given to change into small money, in gambling.

The accused's employer said he would not discharge him, and defendant was bound over in \$50.

LUCKY COOLIE

Chan Fuk, 40, unemployed, was given \$1.50 from the poor box by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest to buy a carrying pole when he was charged begging in the Wanchai district.

Defendant told the Police that he had lost his carrying pole about two months ago, when he was a street coolie, so he had to beg for money. Inspector A. V. Baker prosecuted.

Clothing, valued at \$22, was stolen from No. 13, Chatham Road, residence of Mr. W. Robertson. The theft occurred on Saturday.

Mr. Kotwall, of No. 101, Leighton Hill Road, reports that gramophone records and clothing to the value of \$71.50 were stolen from his residence yesterday.

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"DELIBERATE AND IMPUDENT" FLOUTING OF GREAT BRITAIN

Labour Leader's Attack On Japanese Military

London, To-day.

"Japan, doubtless inspired by her friends in Europe, has deliberately and impudently flouted both Britain and her own international obligations," declared Mr. Arthur Greenwood, Deputy Leader of the Parliamentary Labour Party, speaking at West Bromwich last night.

Mr. Greenwood said it must be made clear to the dictatorship and militarist Powers, whether in the East or West, that Britain and the other Democracies will not tolerate this organised attempt to undermine the foundations of international law and to impose the rule of force on the world.

RULERS' AMBITIONS

Peace is being imperilled, said Mr. Greenwood, not because of the desires of the people of Germany, Italy or Japan, but owing to the ambitions of their rulers.

Such ambitions, he declared, must be curbed.

Mr. Greenwood criticised the policy of the National Government, to which he ascribed the present threatening situation.—Reuter.

RECORDING BEATS OF HEART

Two young doctors and a radio engineer, Mr. C. Leghorn, are making experiments which may lead to great improvement in the treatment of heart diseases.

In a specially-equipped laboratory they are endeavouring to record heartbeats on gramophone discs, so that doctors will have permanent records of all abnormal conditions.

Hitherto, medical men have relied on the somewhat unsatisfactory method of stethoscope listening, though no two doctors might have the same impression of the beat or its regularity.

If permanent gramophone disc recording were perfected, any number of doctors could hear the beat at the same time, and discuss the case.

In the past, professors have used microphones to amplify heart-beats for the benefit of students, but these demonstrations have no permanency.

In the present experiments, certain technical difficulties made themselves apparent. Although it was possible to record heart-beats, extraneous sounds also came through and research is now concentrating on eliminating these foreign noises, without in any way reducing the volume or accuracy of the true beat.

Endeavours are being made to adapt the microphone, so that the ends of a stethoscope fit perfectly against the instrument.

All attempts on shore and in the Queen Mary Hospital to restore respiration were unsuccessful.

Deceased joined the Company three years ago and was a very intelligent and promising young man.

GIVING THE LIE TO JAP. CLAIMS

Shanghai, To-day.

Neutral observers of the Sino-Japanese hostilities declare that the Chinese forces are putting up a good fight and that their morale is good.

The Chinese forces, it is learned, are pursuing their tactics of drawing the Japanese on and cutting off bodies of the invaders in difficult terrain.

Guerilla activities are on an expanding scale, in spite of Japanese claims to have met this form of warfare successfully.—Trans-Ocean.

GUERILLAS BUSY NEAR NANKING

Shanghai, To-day.

Chinese guerilla forces are still active in the Nanking and Shanghai areas.

A Chinese force about 1,000 strong engaged Japanese troops near Kuyung, on the Nanking-Shanghai highway, about 50 kilometres east of Nanking.—Trans-Ocean.

Hamburg, To-day.

Basking shark which infest the waters between Scotland and Iceland are in for a bad time, as the area is to be made a training ground for German harpoonists.—Trans-Ocean.

ESCAPE PLOT NIPPED IN THE BUD

A plan to escape from the internment camp at Matauchung by some 300 Chinese soldiers was nipped in the bud by the Police on Friday when five alleged conspirators were taken into custody from the Camp.

The soldiers, however, were discharged this morning at the Kowloon Magistracy for lack of evidence. They were charged with aiding and abetting others to escape.

Inspector H. Rodgers, of the Kowloon City Police Station, disclosed that the majority of the interned soldiers were involved in the conspiracy to escape.

Working in shifts, the men worked four days in digging a hole leading to the nullah nearby. The work was well organised and planned. Strict watch was kept for officers who approached the area where the hole was being dug, and upon warning received the hole was quickly covered with a mat on which the diggers sat and played games.

On Friday at about 3.30 p.m., Inspector Rodgers and Mr. Wilson, A.S.P., visited the camp. They saw five soldiers sitting on a mat playing a game of dominoes.

They were asked to get up and the mat was removed, revealing the hole. One of the five attempted to escape from the scene but was chased and arrested by Mr. Wilson. The five were then taken into custody.

The hole was two feet wide and between six and eight feet deep.

APPRENTICE DROWNED AT POKFULAM

A young lotype apprentice of the "China Mail" lost his life yesterday afternoon while bathing near Telegraph Bay, Pokfulam.

Only 21 years old, Leung Chuen attended the office yesterday morning and later in the day accompanied some friends for a swim near Telegraph Bay.

Leung, while swimming in deep water, was noticed to be in difficulty by others who were some distance away, and immediately several swimmers struck out to reach and assist him.

The lad, however, was unconscious when brought ashore.

Shark Hurls Boat Out Of Water

Three men testing the engine of a motor fishing boat off Peninver, six miles from Campbelltown, had a remarkable escape from disaster when a huge basking shark struck them.

The helmsman, Mr. Edward McCallum, of Peninver, was able to control the boat, and the party immediately dashed back to land.

The party comprised Mr. McCullum, Mr. Hugh Cameron, the owner, and Mr. Archibald Brown. "We had not got very far," said Mr. McCullum to a reporter, "when our boat, the Maggie, was surrounded by the biggest shoal of basking sharks we have ever seen. We counted between 40 and 50."

"We were actually discussing the Carradale tragedy of two

years ago when three lives were lost, and we were not feeling too comfortable with the monsters all round us.

Could Have Touched It

"Suddenly the fin of a basking shark appeared right in front of us. I looked over and to my horror saw a huge shark rising to the surface immediately underneath the Maggie.

"I could have touched it with my hand. I swung the Maggie round to starboard, but the propeller was struck by the shark as it rose to the surface, and the boat was flung out of the water.

"I was almost blinded by the flood of water which was thrown in my face, but I managed to keep hold of the wheel and bring the Maggie back to an even keel when she struck the water again.

"The shark which had struck up, so far as we could make out amid all the confusion, dived again immediately afterwards."

Basking sharks, normally harmless, are so called because they bask on the surface.

Three men were drowned in Carradale Bay, near Campbelltown, in September, 1937, when their boat was upset by a basking shark.

MRS. BURTON PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Dulcie Burton, of No. 114, The Peak, died in the War Memorial Hospital at 8 a.m. to-day.

She was the wife of Dr. C. H. Burton, the well-known dental surgeon, and had been ill for the past two months.

Besides the bereaved husband, she is survived by a seven and a half year-old son, Brian.

Deceased was resident in the Colony some 10 years and leaves many friends to mourn her death.

NAZIS AGAIN DENY TROOP MOVEMENTS

The German authorities in Berlin have again thought it necessary to issue a denial of reports of German troop movements.

The latest denial (received through Trans-Ocean) refers to reports of a concentration of the 8th, 28th and 31st Infantry Divisions and the 4th Armoured Car Division and the 118th Heavy Artillery Division around Mahrtsch-Ostrau.

EGYPT'S FOREIGN MINISTER IN ISTANBUL TALKS

Istanbul, To-day.

Yehia Pasha, the Egyptian Foreign Minister, who is at present on an official visit to Turkey, was received yesterday by Ismet Inoenue, the Turkish President.

Yehia Pasha then left Ankara, where political discussions between Egypt and Turkey are to begin.

After the conclusion of the Ankara discussions, the Egyptian Premier is to visit the capitals of the Balkan Entente countries.—Trans-Ocean.

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THE DAILY SHORT STORY

HOLD YOUR MAN!

Johanna came through the waiting-room door of the railroad station and stopped. Bill, as usual, was ahead of time. She saw him leaning against the counter, reading his evening paper. Johanna watched him for a moment. He was so good looking, so genial. As always, viewing him without his knowledge, she wondered why he had fallen in love with her. He could have had his pick of a dozen girls. Long ago she had decided it was worth having to be on your toes, alert, ready to cope with any situation in order to hold him. Yes, it was worth all that and more to be engaged to a man like Bill Anthony.

Johanna had started toward the information desk when she saw a girl pass by Bill, look at him intently, retrace her steps and finally speak. Bill looked up. He stared at the girl; then his face lighted in happy recognition.

Johanna with growing apprehension, watched them shake hands warmly, could almost hear their words of de-

"Bill," laughed Jo, "I'm afraid your past is coming to life. However, I don't blame you for not telling me about Miss Mather. I'd have been jealous of such beauty."

Kay's brows went up in surprise. "Bill, let me congratulate you on your selection of a life partner. I'm sure if I were engaged to a handsome man I'd not be broadminded enough to compliment an old flame."

"Look," cried Bill with a hopeless gesture, "will you two dames stop complimenting each other. Kay, for the last time, where are you stopping? For gosh's sake!"

"Darling," Kay laughed, "there's nothing I'd enjoy more than spending an evening with you—and Jo—talking over old times. I'm stopping at the Hotel—But here, I'll write it down for you."

Kay rummaged in her purse. Jo suddenly clapped one hand to her head,

By Barbara Ann Benedict

lighted greeting. The girl was a blond, a soft and lovely blond. She was better looking than Johanna, she had a better figure and a more engaging manner. Johanna admitted these things to herself without rancor, because she had learned that to admit them gave her a certain advantage. Yet in spite of herself she was disturbed at the obvious genuineness of Bill's delight in meeting this lovely blond.

Johanna came forward quickly. "Hello, Bill," she said. Bill turned. His face lighted.

"Jo! Gosh, am I glad you got here! Just bumped into an old friend of mine. Kay, this is Jo Bond, the girl I'm engaged to marry. Jo, this is Kay Mather. We grew up together in the same small town out west."

"It's a pleasure to meet an old friend of Bill," Johanna smiled, extended her hand cordially.

Kay Mather laughed. "It's indeed a pleasure to meet the girl he's going to marry." Her laugh rippled. "I was that girl once."

"How interesting!" Jo smiled.

"Hey, hey!" Bill cried. "Don't embarrass me, girls. Gosh, Kay, it's good to see you again! How long are you going to be in town? Where are you stopping? Where are you living now, anyway?"

"Oh," said Jo, "don't you live in the same town that you and Bill grew up in?"

Kay shook her head solemnly. "Bill got a job in Chicago and went there to work, promising to—or—return sometime." Her eyes twinkled, but there was faint accusation behind the look.

Bill laughed. "Say, listen! I did return! I came back the next year and you and your whole family had moved out of town without letting me know."

"If you'd written to me I'd have answered your letters and let you know."

"Well, look!" Bill was serious. "I was pretty busy that first year. Hang it, let's not get into one of our old quarrels. I'm too delighted at just seeing you again. We simply must get together. You and Jo and me. Kay, you're more gorgeous than ever. Look, where are you stopping?"

grasped Bill with the other hand, uttered a moaning sound and collapsed.

Bill caught her before she fell. An expression of fright came into his eyes. He looked at her wildly.

"Jo! For gosh's sake, what's happened? What's the matter? Lord! she's dead! Help! Somebody, help!"

The station was filled with people; it was the rush hour for returning commuters. A crowd gathered in no time at all. A policeman's whistle shrilled. A woman screamed. Men cursed. A siren sounded.

Blue-coated officers elbowed their way through the crowd. Bill picked up the unconscious girl and carried her through the avenue made by the policeman. He saw two men in white coats approaching. The men were bearing a stretcher.

In the ambulance, Johanna moaned and sat up. She smiled at Bill. "I must have fainted. What a weird experience!"

"Are you all right now?" Bill asked anxiously.

"As good as new." She smiled and patted his hand. "What became of Miss Mather?"

"Holy smoke!" declared Bill. "I never did get her address." His face clouded. "What a shame! I haven't any idea where she's staying and I don't know where she lives. I'll probably never see her again."

"Oh, dear!" said Johanna, and relaxed.

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London, Yesterday.

The Empress of Britain yesterday passed safely through the iceberg zone, says a wireless message from Reuter's special correspondent on board the Royal liner.

When the liner emerged from the zone at 3 o'clock in the afternoon Their Majesties were resting after their greatest personal adventure of the tour.

This occurred when they paid a visit to the three escorting cruisers on Saturday night.

Their Majesties went on board a ferryboat towards the cruiser Glasgow.

Owing to the strong wind, Glasgow had been ordered to leave her moorings alongside the other cruisers and the Empress of Britain five miles down the bay and to proceed to meet the ferryboat.

As Glasgow approached, Their Majesties transferred on board a small naval motorboat to go alongside the cruiser.

DRIFT HELPLESSLY

After bumping and ploughing through the waves, the engines of the tiny craft suddenly stopped, and it was found that the propeller was caught in fishing-nets.

For several minutes the boat drifted helplessly, and then another Navy boat came alongside, and the King jumped on board and helped the Queen over.

Afterwards the party re-embarked on the heaving motorboat and sped towards the cruiser Southampton.

WET BUT CHEERFUL

Waves crashing over the boat soaked all members of the party who were unable to cram into the tiny cabin.

Despite the bad weather Their Majesties were determined not to disappoint the officers and crew of the cruisers, and went through the whole programme, afterwards visiting H. M. S. Berwick.

The King and Queen returned to the Empress of Britain wet but cheerful.—Reuter.

The B.I. steamship Santhia left Singapore on Friday and is due in Hong Kong on Wednesday.

ment, who together with others drank poisoned wine at a feast on June 9, died on June 17, according to a Shanghai report.

Wen Chung-yao, President of the Legislative Council of the bogus government, who was also poisoned, is still not out of danger, it is stated.—Central News.

800-YEAR-OLD TOWN TO BE SUBMERGED

Moscow, To-day.

The Soviet Government has decided that the 800-year old town of Mologa, on the River Volga, and its entire neighbourhood shall be submerged in order to build the reservoir and power station of Rybinsk.

The population of the town of Mologa in 1936 numbered 6,000.

At the present moment, a film company is busy filming the town and its cultural treasures before the town finally disappears beneath the waters.—Trans-Ocean.

DUTCH EXPERT'S BODY TO BE SENT HOME

Kunming, To-day.

The encoffined remains of M. Bourdrez, the Dutch conservancy expert who met his death in a surveying mishap in the treacherous waters of the Gold Sand River in west Yunnan last month, are being sent here for shipment to his own country.

M. Bourdrez's body was recovered near Sintangwan on May 28, and was identified despite its advanced condition of decomposition by a gold ring on his finger engraved with his initials.—Central News.

PUPPET CHIEF'S DEATH RUMOUR

Chungking, To-day.

Rumours are circulating that Liang Hung-chih, puppet President of the Executive Council of the bogus Nanking Reformed Govern-

ARMY TO MOVE INTO TENTS

London, Yesterday.

To make room for reservists and recruits, Regular Army battalions all over Britain are to go under canvas towards the end of this month.—Our Own Correspondent.

DRIVERLESS CARS IN TEST CRASH

Steered By Electric Controls

Two cars crashed in a head-on collision at 30 m.p.h. at Oxford recently. One spun round with only a bent axle and burst tyre, the other was thrown over on its side. The driver, had there been one, would almost certainly have been killed.

Actually nobody was hurt, for the cars were empty. The collision was staged at the Cowley Works of Morris Motors before the directors and chief engineers to test two methods of construction.

Both cars were Morris Tens—a red 1938 model, with body bolted on the chassis in the conventional way, and a blue car of the new Series M, introduced last September, in which body frame and chassis frame are one, built up of units welded together.

Steered by Electricity

Facing each other 150 yards apart, each car was started at a given signal with second gear engaged, throttle open and no one on board. They were steered by electrical controls from a central point.

On the first run the cars missed each other, but on the next try there was no mistake. They met with a crash at about 30 m.p.h., each near side front wheel striking the centre of the other vehicle's front axle.

Theoretically the old red car should have come off best, for it had about 300lb. extra weight behind its blow, but while the blue car was damaged the red one was nearly wrecked.

Not only did it turn over, but its entire frame was distorted longitudinally, the front axle bent into a half-moon, the front spring broken and twisted

OLD OFFENDER TO SUFFER

With 12 previous convictions on various offences, a Police supervisee, Liu Chin-chi, 32, was this morning sentenced to 12 months' hard labour and 12 strokes by Mr. E. Himsworth at Kowloon when charged with larceny of a handbag containing \$61 from a woman in Prince Edward Road.

Six months' hard labour and 12 strokes were imposed on Lam Tak-hong, 21, for snatching a pair of gold ear-rings from a woman in Shanghai Street yesterday.

MASS-MURDERER GUillotINED

Paris, To-day.

Ernest Weidmann, the German mass-murderer, who murdered 11 men and women for trifling sums, was executed early on Saturday morning at Versailles.

Throughout the night the scaffold was surrounded by a curious crowd, among them a great number of women.

Police drove the crowd away, and spectators only obtained a long-distance view of the proceedings.—Trans-Ocean.

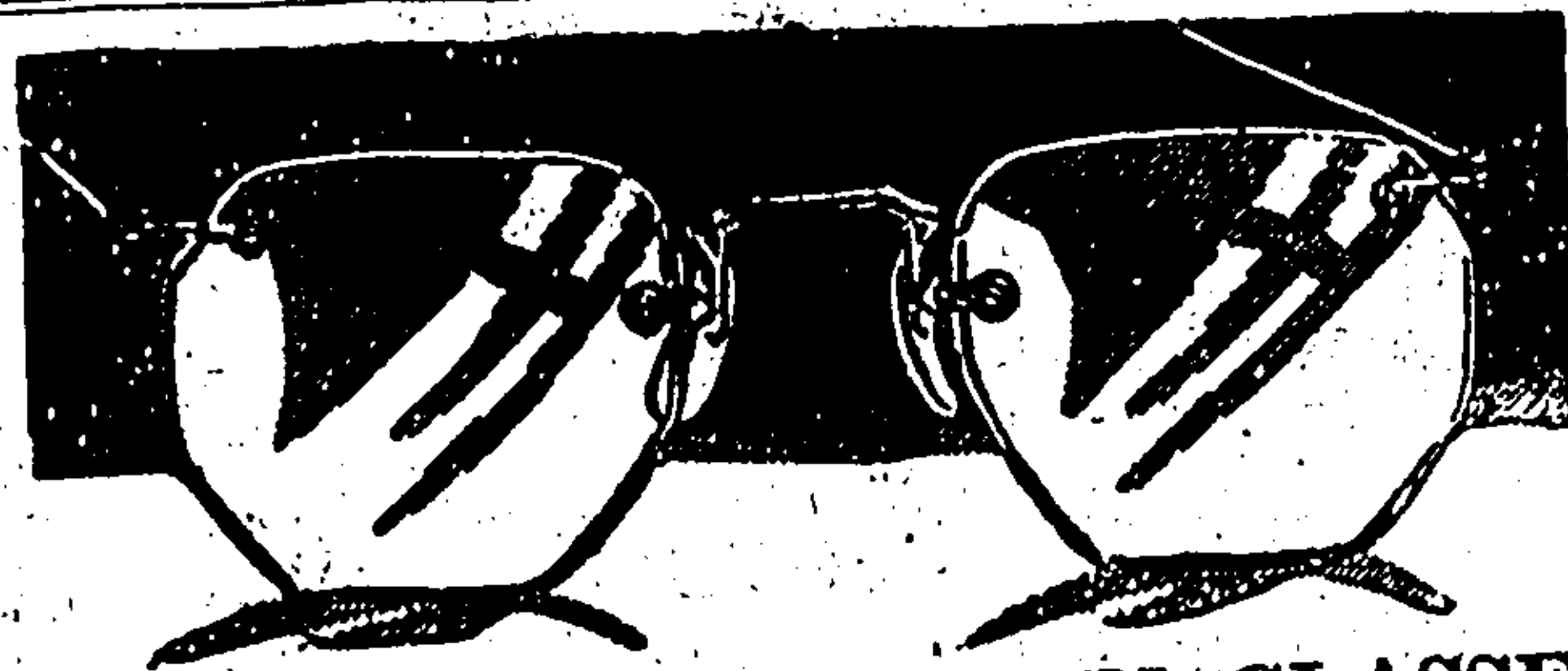
NUDE WOMAN INSANE

Yiu Sau-ying, who was found nude in Murray Barracks and who claimed she had been attacked, appeared again before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Inspector A. V. Baker said the woman had been certified insane, and the case was adjourned sine die.

like a strip of tin, and the body wrenched off the frame all along the side.

The new blue car after an examination by the Morris service engineers, suffered only one-quarter the amount of damage—axle, wheel and bonnet side mainly, all of which could be made good and a new front section welded in place, whereas the frame of the other car would have to be scrapped.



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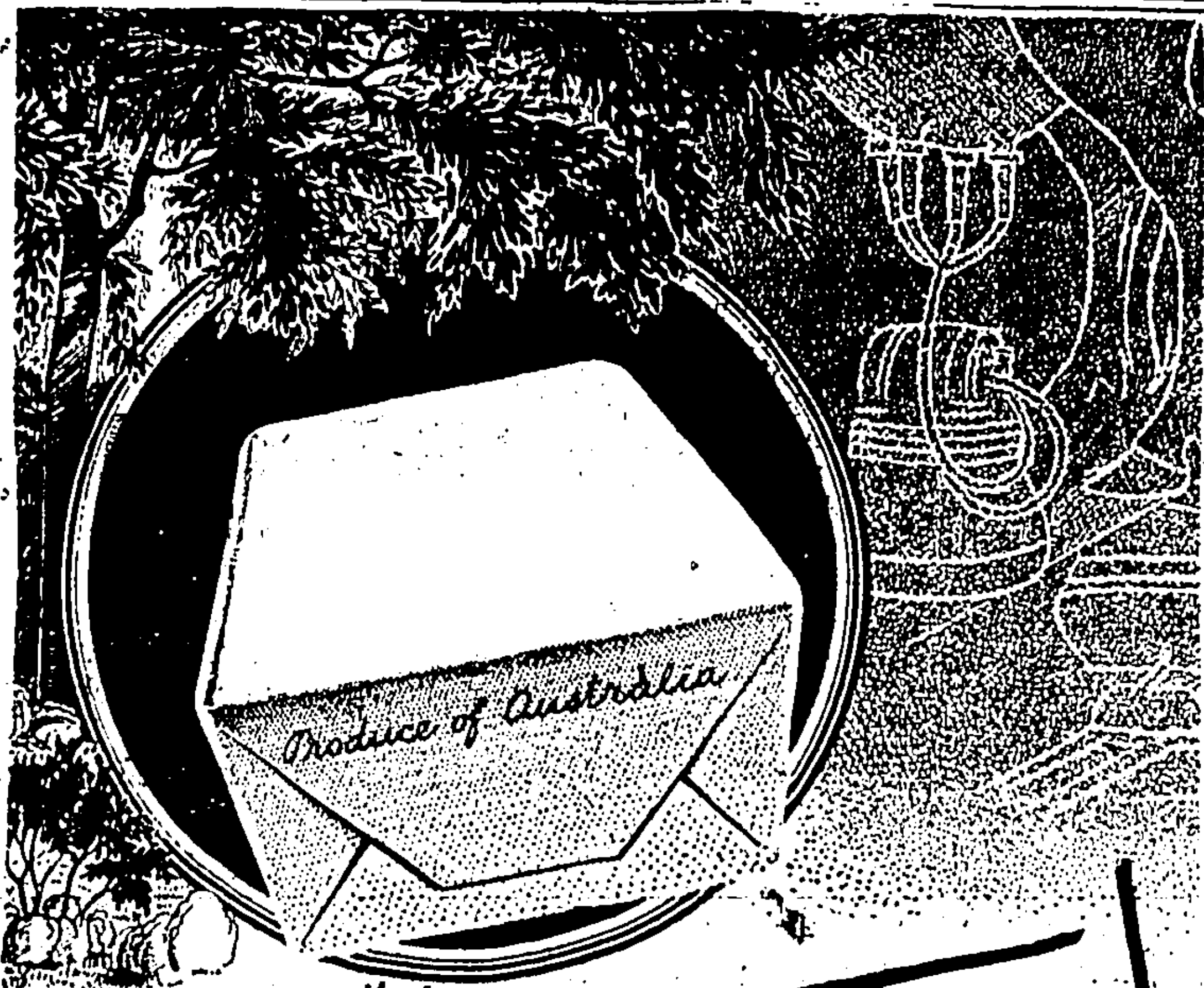
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NO REASON FOR WAR

Thoughtful world opinion must applaud, as did the women in the crowd at Turin, the declaration of Premier Mussolini that, "There are not at present in Europe problems big enough or acute enough to justify a war" that could involve all nations. In fact, such is the instinctive prayer of the peoples for peace that millions upon millions both in democratic and in authoritarian countries would go farther than Il Duce and say that with the facilities men now have for consultation and conciliation there is never a set of circumstances that can serve as a justification for precipitating bloodshed or that cannot and should not be ameliorated by peaceful and reasonable means.

The Mussolini speech cannot but be hailed as very hopeful for the peace of Europe and hence, probably, that of the world. In view of the situation, it seems, notwithstanding the usual sarcasm toward the democracies, to be addressed more to Germany than to Britain or France. The Italian leader surely recognises that there is nothing for Italy to gain in being dragged into a war over Danzig or the Polish Corridor and that even victory for the Axis powers could only result in Italy's becoming a German satellite.

If his assertion that he speaks "not only the thought of Italy but also of Germany and thus of the Axis" applies to the statement that recourse to the sword is not necessary to cut the knots in European politics, then it is doubly encouraging. If

however, it applies rather to the demand, "There is need that these knots be united once and for all," the unity of the Rome-Berlin Axis still need not imply war, for there are many in Britain, France and America who agree that justice must be done in the redress of conditions which make living hard for Germans and Italians.

These conditions are the more severe just now because of the "white war" or economic war which Premier Mussolini charges is being waged on Germany and Italy by the so-called democratic powers. But this economic pressure is a mechanism of defence to which the democracies have resorted as against heavy rearmaments and in hope of averting worse conflict. Signor Mussolini must realise — indeed, he seems to realise — that the "white war" of commercial isolation is one from which Italy or Germany can extricate itself at any time by displaying a willingness to confer with other nations over a relaxing of trade barriers and by giving earnest in acts of their disposition to preserve peace.

For the very mention of this trade situation calls up the many discussions over access to raw materials and markets and the recent proposal of President Roosevelt to hold a conference at which these questions would be examined with a view to making commerce and living conditions freer for all concerned. In this respect, is it too much to look upon Premier Mussolini's Turin speech as a second and milder reply to the Roosevelt message? If so, every such possibility for untying Europe's knots should be explored.

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French In "The House"

Members of the British House of Commons who desire to polish up their French can now do so at the House; for the Anglo-French Parliamentary Committee recently undertook to have a competent teacher in attendance there for one hour each week. The rumour that this move was due to a not-too-French French paean from some members, when M. Lebrun was lately welcomed by both Houses in Westminster Hall, may be discounted; although it is possible that the visit of the President prompted this revival of learning, and that the man produced the hour.

It is conceivable that the presence of an enthusiastic French class may reintroduce the habit of using foreign quotations in debate, with the French epigram taking the place formerly occupied by the classical tag. Naturally, there might be some opposition at first from those whose mastery of the language is confined to inquiries concerning the penknife of the gardener's aunt, and who could scarcely display their knowledge in a speech without taking French leave of their subject.

Perseverance on the part of the linguists, however, and the claims of the Anglo-French Entente, should have their effect in rousing emulation, and sending up attendance at the class; so that, eventually, an orator may be able to depend on the charity, coming from understanding, of his brethren, and indulge in French without stares.

THREATENING TIENTSIN TURN

Britons In Incidents At Barriers

Tientsin, To-day.

The blockade took a more threatening turn yesterday when supplies of fresh food were cut off and turned back by Japanese motorboats patrolling the Hai Ho.

Mr. A. E. Tipper, Chairman of the British Municipal Council, informed Reuter that the Japanese river blockade had proved completely effective.

The determination of British residents to see the blockade through has been stiffened by the harrowing experience of two compatriots who attempted to visit the Race Course, in the Japanese-controlled area.

The first, a man, was stripped naked at the Japanese search post, and tinned goods he was carrying were all opened.

The other case concerned a British girl who was manhandled in the presence of the Japanese sentry by a Chinese policeman, who abused her in foul language.

SHIPS GET THROUGH

Notwithstanding the severity of the blockade on fresh foodstuffs, two British ocean-going ships have arrived at the British Bund without being stopped at the Japanese control point on the Hai Ho.

Consequently the owners are cabling their Shanghai offices to resume shipments of cargo to Tientsin, which had been suspended on the advice of the British Consular authorities.—Reuter.

VIRULENT CAMPAIGN

Tientsin, To-day.

While there is no relaxing of the barrier restrictions in the slightest, the Japanese have intensified anti-British propaganda.

The Japanese press is carrying on a virulent campaign supported by handbills and broadcasts, for which loud-speakers have been installed at all searching posts.

The food situation is causing growing concern.

Mr. Tipper told Reuter that while an enormous supply of rice and flour is available, the Japanese launch patrols in the river have effectively cut off vegetable, meat and fish supplies.

FOREIGN LADIES ANNOYED

Mrs. I. A. Donnelly, British, and Mrs. M. B. Rodger, American, both of whom are China-born, also had an unpleasant experience when they ventured out for a breath of fresh air in view of the mercury hovering round 105 degrees in the shade.

The two ladies were allowed to pass the barrier going out but were firmly refused admission when they tried to return.

Eventually, after much fruitless argument, they made a two-mile trip to another entrance, where they were permitted to pass.

Despite repeated requests by the British Consul-General, Mr. Jamieson, the Japanese are still detain-

S'PORE MILITARY TALKS

Singapore, To-day.

NO fewer than 50 British and French officers of high rank will take part in military conversations which will begin here on Thursday.

On the French side the commanders-in-chief of the French military, naval and air forces in Indo-China will take part, while Britain will be represented, among others, by Admiral Sir Percy Noble, Major-General A. E. Grasset, Air-Marshal Sir Philip Joubert de la Forge, Colonel G. B. Henderson, from India, General D. K. McLeod, from Burma, and an officer from Ceylon.

Australia, the Netherlands and the United States are not sending representatives, but will be informed of the outcome of the conversations. — Trans-Ocean.

ALL QUIET AT AMOY

Reports of fresh Anglo-Japanese trouble at Amoy on Sunday concerning the landing of passengers from a British ship were denied in official naval circles this morning.

"It was just a case of the normal boarding procedure," the "China Mail" was informed.

H.M.S. Dorsetshire, cruiser, and H.M.S. Delight, destroyer, are both stationed at Amoy at the moment.

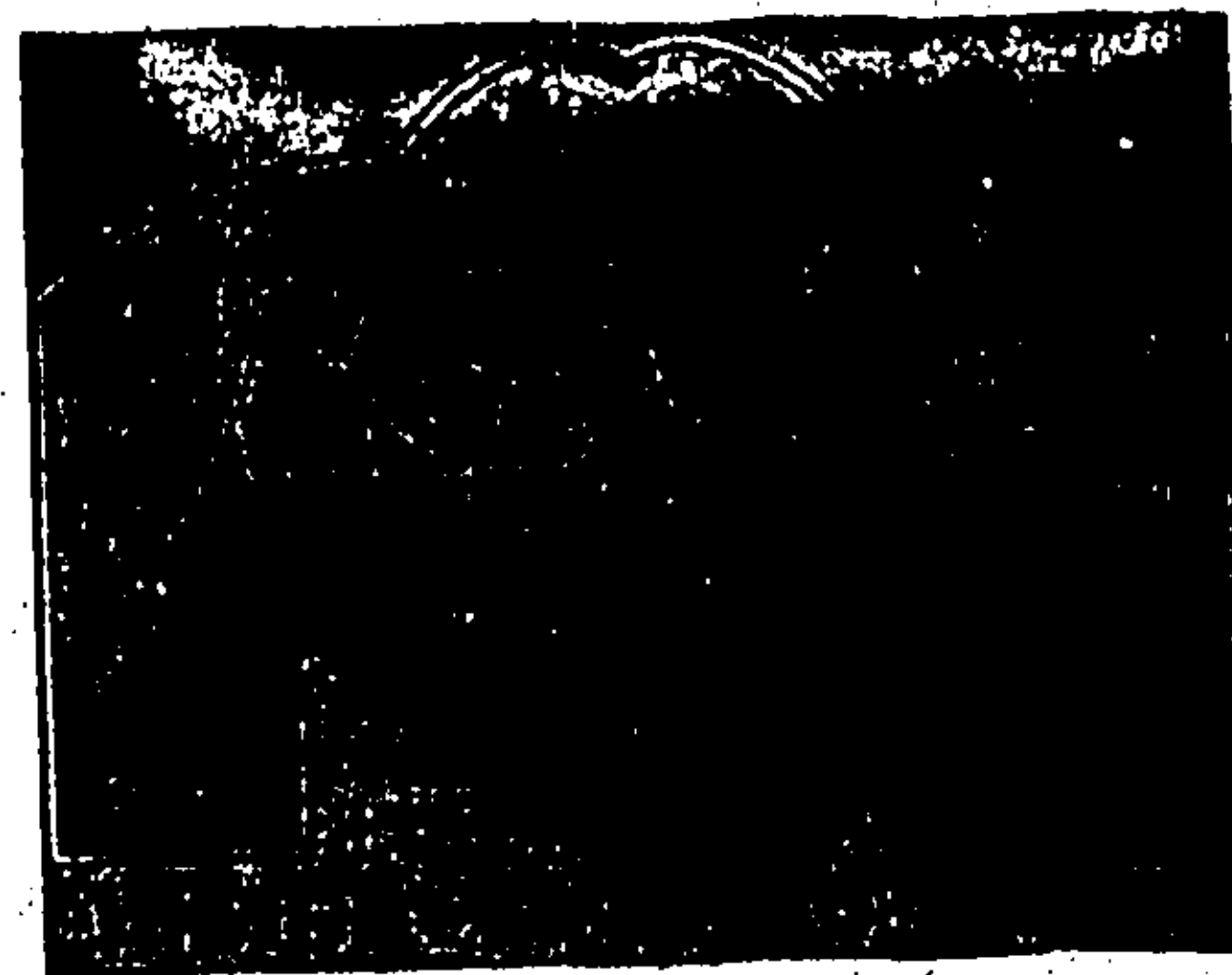
ing a Briton, Mr. G. A. Smith, who was arrested on Saturday after an argument with a Chinese policeman. — Reuter.



THE FIRST MILITIAMEN "SIGN ON".—Men between the ages of 20 and 21 years had to register on June 4 under the new Military Training Scheme. These Militiamen will serve for a period of 6 months, with the Regular Army and for 3½ years on the Reserve or Territorials. All these lads showed plenty of enthusiasm as they arrived to sign, despite pacifist propaganda in the form of leaflets and placard carriers outside the various bureaux. Photo shows Conscientious Objectors outside a London enrollments office with a placard offering free legal advice to any objectors the Conscription Act. (By Air Mail).

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TRI-PARTITE TALKS IN MOSCOW DRAGGING ON

"Collective Guarantee" Proposal By The Soviet Delegate

London, To-day.

No further developments have been reported from Moscow, where the Anglo-Franco-Soviet negotiations for a tri-partite alliance are continuing.

The "Observer" says that M. Molotov, the Soviet Foreign Commissar, has made a new proposal to the British and French delegates.

He is reported to have suggested that Britain, France and Russia guarantee all States east and west of Germany.

This would include not only Belgium, Poland, Rumania, Greece and Turkey (countries already guaranteed) but also the Baltic States and other countries willing to be guaranteed.

The "Observer" says Mr. William Strang, the British Foreign Office expert, who is engaged in the negotiations, is probably not authorised to tie Britain down to this new plan of a "collective guarantee." — Trans-Ocean.

STRANG STAYING ON

Moscow, To-day.

Mr. William Strang, Britain's special envoy to Moscow, will, it is stated in well-informed circles, have to prolong his stay beyond the three or four days originally envisaged.

Mr. Strang, after long consultations with the British and French Ambassadors in Moscow, got into touch with London. — Trans-Ocean.

POSTMEN AS CENSORS

London, To-day.

In order to check the growing flow of illegal literature, the German G.P.O., says a press report, has issued instructions to its employees to prevent the use of the postal services for the distribution of anti-Nazi news-sheets or circulars.

Postmen are now entitled to open letters or delay the distribution of parcels in case of "justifiable suspicion."

They are under orders to act as censors whenever a large number of identical envelopes are posted simultaneously. — Our Own Correspondent.

LITVINOV COACHES MOLOTOV

London, To-day.

Reports from Moscow state that M. Maxim Litvinov, former Foreign Commissar, is far from being out of favour with the mighty ones at the Kremlin.

He is known to be paying almost daily visits to the office of M. Molotov, his successor.

Inference that the two men are discussing foreign politics is irresistible.

Opinions as to the nature of their relations, however, are divided. Some people say that Litvinov is coaching Molotov in the art of diplomacy; others say that the Foreign Commissar is only the nominal chief and that no decision is taken without Litvinov being consulted. — Our Own Correspondent.

NAZI TERROR IN ENGLAND

LONDON, TO-DAY.

FRESH INFORMATION ABOUT NAZI TERRORISTIC ACTS AGAINST GERMANS AND GERMAN REFUGEES TEMPORARILY RESIDENT IN GREAT BRITAIN IS BEING INVESTIGATED BY THE SPECIAL BRANCH OF SCOTLAND YARD.

Reluctance of victims to take action, even when a good case can be made out for proceedings under English law, is a stumbling block to police.

Fear of reprisals against relatives still in Germany is main obstacle. — Our Own Correspondent.

London, To-day.

American business agents are inquiring in London what type of goods and material England would be likely to want from the United States in the event of war. — Our Own Correspondent.

AND STILL THEY COME

London, Yesterday. Another thousand refugee children from Greater Germany are expected to arrive in England this month, says the "News Chronicle" to-day. — Our Own Correspondent.

WHY IS MR. NORMAN DAVIS IN ENGLAND

LONDON, TO-DAY.

CONJECTURE IS RIFE IN LONDON AT THE EXTENDED STAY IN ENGLAND OF MR. NORMAN DAVIS, PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S "AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE."

Only official business with which Mr. Davis is now connected is the American Red Cross, of which he was elected chairman last year.

The diplomatic correspondent of the "News Chronicle," however, suggests that the man who has probably made more trans-Atlantic journeys than any other American diplomat, may be visiting London in connection with other than Red Cross matters.

The correspondent points to the numerous conversations Mr. Davis has held with British political personages, especially with the Labour Opposition and such anti-Chamberlainites as Mr. Duff Cooper, Mr. Winston Churchill and Mr. Anthony Eden. — Our Own Correspondent.

TORIES LOOK FOR A NEW LONDON BOSS

LONDON, TO-DAY.

THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY ARE NOW SEEKING THEIR NEW BOSS FOR LONDON.

He will be unpaid, but will have practically a full-time job with the responsibility of winning seats in Parliamentary and local government elections.

The name of Sir Hugh Lucas Tooth is being mentioned.

It is through Sir Hugh's initiative that Mr. Chamberlain appointed a committee of enquiry under Sir Kingsley Wood, the Air Minister, to reform the party organisation in London.

It was also Sir Kingsley's committee which suggested the appointment of a boss. — Our Own Correspondent.

SHOULD VOTE

London, To-day.

Sir Frank Sanderson, M.P. is leader of a movement in the House of Commons for making voting at Parliamentary elections compulsory.

Much comment has been created by the apathy revealed in recent by-elections. — Our Own Correspondent.

BRITAIN READY IN MEDITERRANEAN

London, To-day:

"The Government is evidently prepared for all eventualities in the Eastern Mediterranean."

This is how a well-informed observer interprets General Sir Edmund Ironside's appointment as Inspector-General of the Overseas Forces.

General Ironside is known to have made a thorough study of the Eastern Mediterranean situation.

He delivered a number of lectures on the subject before taking up his Gibraltar command, and during the September crisis was sent out on a tour of inspection in that area.

The "Daily Mail" says that a strategic striking force, based on Palestine, is the big purpose behind the new British Army appointments announced by the War Office. — Our Own Correspondent.

"L.G." COME-BACK RUMOURS

LONDON, TO-DAY.

WHAT IS MR. LLOYD GEORGE AFTER? THAT IS A MUCH DISCUSSED QUESTION IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

He has been leading "for the Liberals" in the House of Commons debates, and has broadcast "for the Liberals" on the Palestine question.

There are prominent Liberals of the Independent section who are hoping that this activity on the part of the Welsh Wizard implies his willingness to assume the Liberal leadership.

It will be recalled that he refused the leadership at the time of his "New Deal" plan.

If Mr. Lloyd George were now ready to accept the responsibilities which he vowed years ago he would never take on again it would be with a view to advancing the cause of the Popular Front. — Our Own Correspondent.

PLOT AGAINST PREMIER

Bucharest, To-day.

Eleven persons who had plotted an attempt on the life of Premier Calinescu were arrested by the police here to-day.

Ten of them are employees of the Bucharest Military Arsenal, while the eleventh is a priest.

In the possession of one of the arrested employees of the Arsenal was found a number of hand grenades which had been made specially for the attack on Calinescu's life. — Trans-Ocean.

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ARMY TO-DAY -- ALL BRIGHT

The Army of to-day's all bright. The beery, hard-swearing sergeant-major is no more, and even Colonel Blimp has faded away.

Mr. Hore-Belisha, Minister of War, said so in the House of Commons, and as he proclaimed the Colonel's end there were shouts of "hooray" and "No, no."

GIRL FARMER WINS KING'S PRIZE

Christine Aburrow, a girl farmer, of Madams Farm, Midhurst, Sussex, with a Shorthorn heifer which she had reared, won the championship prize offered by the King for the best exhibit in the young farmers' classes at the Royal Counties Agricultural Show, at Southsea.

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FEWER FISH LANDED

The total quantity of wet fish of British taking landed last year was 15,532,692 cwt., valued at £12,233,209, as compared with 17,034,722 cwt., valued at £11,932,690, in 1937—a decrease of 9 per cent. in quantity, but an increase of 3 per cent. in value. The value of shellfish landed was £409,000 against £442,000 in 1937.

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HERR VON PAPEN

Herr von Papen, the German Ambassador in Ankara, who left for Germany immediately after the announcement of the Anglo-Turkish Agreement, has returned to Ankara, simultaneously with the Italian Ambassador, who in a statement to the Press denied that there was any idea of aggression against Turkey.

Nowadays the soldier is an alert professional gentleman. He attends classes and finishes his education in barracks.

"FIGMENT OF IMAGINATION"

But the blustering sergeant-major of an earlier Army! Mr. Hore-Belisha was almost shocked at the thought.

"He is," he said, "a figment of the imagination."

(Note to territorials: If you do find yourself bawled out on parade, remember—it's only your imagination).

But the Army has changed. The militiamen of the New Army, Mr. Hore-Belisha said, will play outdoor games, listen to the radio, play darts and billiards, see films provided free.

Books, too. Special books are to be bought in co-operation with the Workers' Educational Association and local education authorities.

In a word, join the Army and see a new world.

The man who wants to study technical subjects in his spare time will be encouraged.

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EVENING CLASSES

"I see no reason," Mr. Hore-Belisha said, "why a militiaman should not go to evening classes instead of the pictures."



TINY INDIANS GREET THEIR MAJESTIES.—The King and Queen visited a red Indian encampment at Calgary, Alberta, right in the heart of the Rockies during their journey back from the west and met all the Chieftains of the various tribes. Photo shows the Queen greeting a little Indian papoose watched by the Chiefs of the tribes and squaws as they moved through the encampment.

ITALIAN JEWS

A decree law has been issued in Rome ordering all Italian Jews who have changed their names to resume their original Jewish name.

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QUEEN'S GODCHILD

CHRISTENED

The infant son of Viscount and Viscountess Anson, whose godmother is the Queen, was christened at the parish church of Great Haywood, near Stafford.

MARY PICKFORD

VISITING ENGLAND

Miss Mary Pickford, the film actress, and her husband dance band leader Buddy Rogers, have arrived at Southampton on board the liner Normandie for a brief holiday in England.

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N.C.O. KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Lance-Corporal Arthur Price, of the 2nd Fortress Company R.E. was accidentally killed by an explosion which occurred during blasting operations at Gibraltar.

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NEW RECORD FOR HILL CLIMB

Raymond Mays, in his 2-litre E.R.A., set up a new record for the Shelsley Walsh (Worcs) hill climb. His time was 37.37 sec., as compared with his previous record, set up last September, of 37.86 sec.

THE AIR-MINDED ROBIN

The robin which built its nest in the wing of the aeroplane belonging to Mr. Edmund Hordern, a partner in the Hordern Richmond Aircraft Company, took a flight in the machine from Denham to Reading.

LONDON CADETS IN BRUSSELS

A party of 120 London cadets arrived in Brussels recently. A detachment of the 9th Belgian Regiment of the Line was at the station and the cadets marched through the boulevards to the Petit Chateau barracks.

NEW GOVERNOR OF VICTORIA

Major-General Sir Winston Dugan has left London for Melbourne to take up his new post as Governor of Victoria. Sir Winston, who is sixty-two, was formerly Governor of South Australia, and had been in London for just over two months.



DUKE OF KENT REVIEWS FIREMEN IN HYDE PARK.—The London Fire Brigade and the Auxiliary Fire Service were reviewed by the Duke and Duchess of Kent in Hyde Park on June 8. A grand display was held and women as well as men took part. Photo shows the Grand Finale—an amazing scene of the Auxiliary Fire Service battling against a blazing building in Hyde Park.

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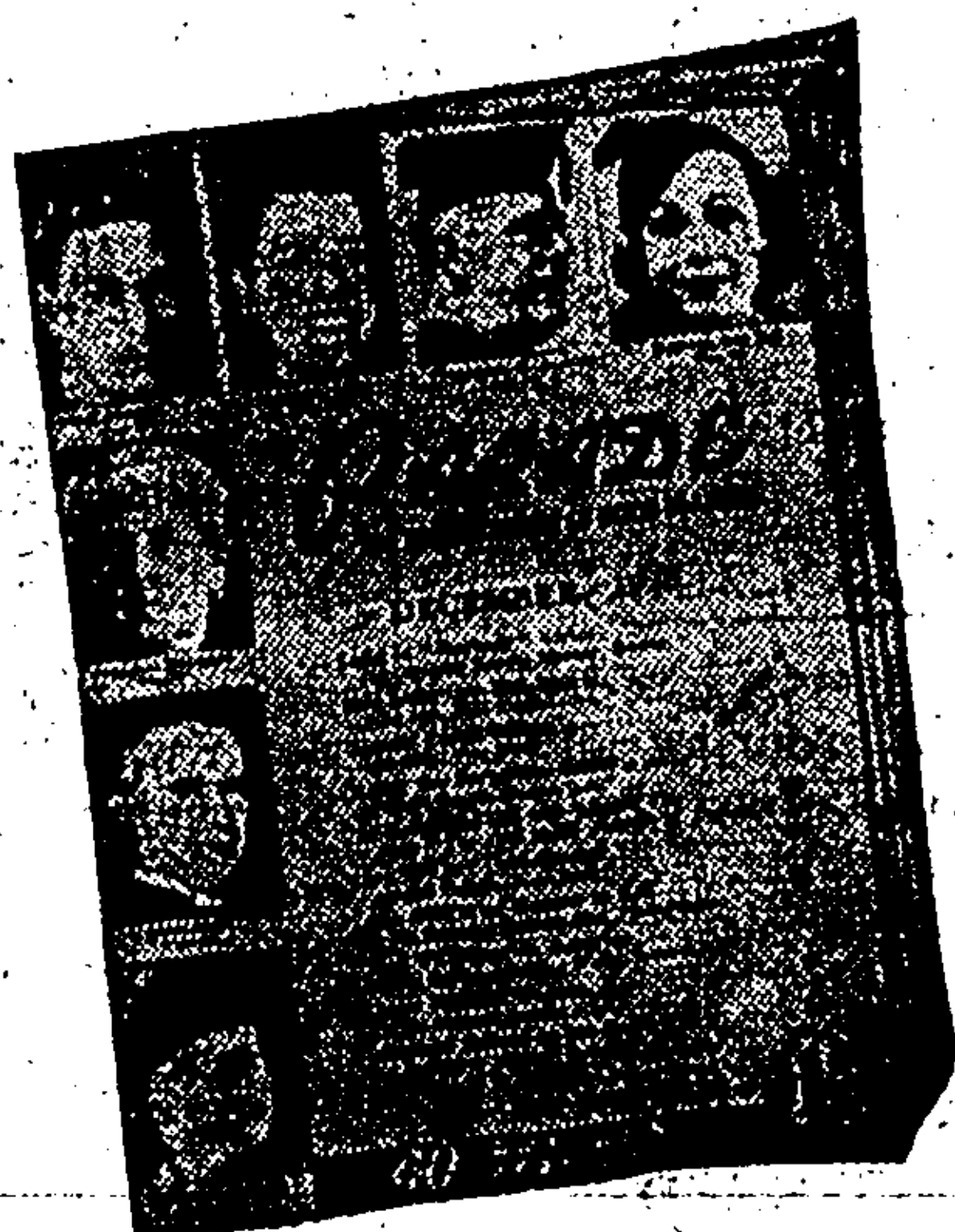
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THE strategic disposition of the Navy at the present day differs in two important respects from that of twenty-five years ago. Then practically all our main strength was concentrated in Northern European waters, but we had more strength in Eastern waters than we have to-day. Our representation in the Mediterranean was only a battle-cruiser squadron, a light-cruiser squadron, and some destroyers. To-day our capital ship strength is divided between home waters and the Mediterranean; our Eastern Fleet consists only of cruisers.

For administrative purposes and also for strategical the Seven Seas are divided into seven areas, six of which are under the jurisdiction of the Admiralty and one under the Australian and New Zealand Governments. The six British stations are—

Home.

Mediterranean.

Africa.

East Indies.

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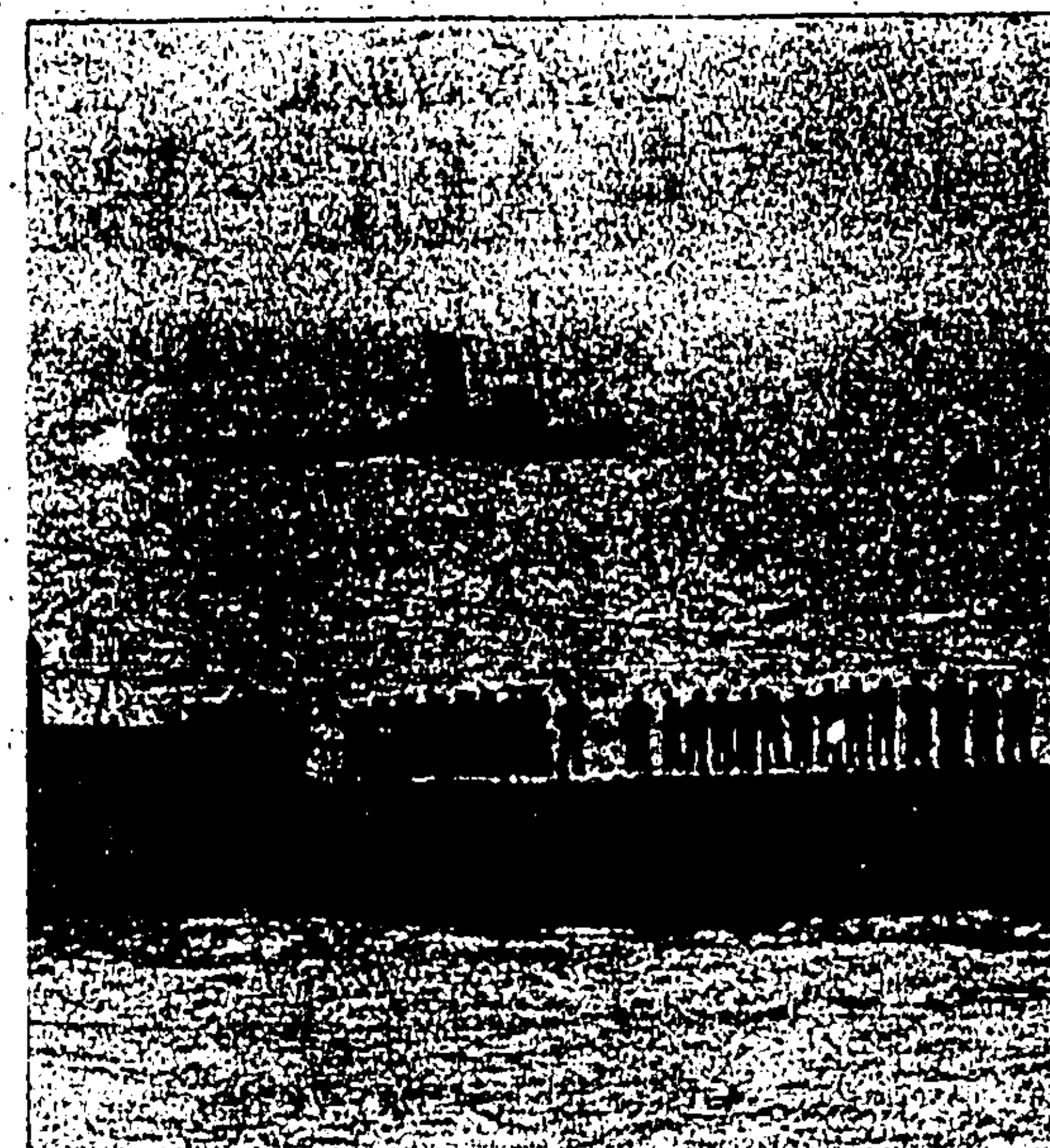
North America and West Indies.

THE SIX STATIONS

The home station is the smallest geographically but the most important. It stretches from the Cape Verde Islands in the South Atlantic to the Arctic; westward it runs to 40deg. W., and all the Baltic is within the zone eastward. The boundaries of the Mediterranean command are obvious. The China Station is an immense area, nearly one-quarter of the circumference of the globe in its east and west boundaries, while southward it goes below the Equator and northward up to the Arctic again. The East Indies area stretches from Singapore to the East African coast north of Zanzibar. South of that is the African Station, which covers the whole South African coastline, and on the west goes up nearly to the Rio del Oro to meet the southern limit of the Home Station. Southward it extends to the Antarctic. The North American command with its subsidiary South American squadron, covers the whole of the New World.

PRESENT STRENGTHS

Each station has a commander-in-chief, though the numerical strength varies considerably. The present composition of the respective fleets may be summarised thus:—



Sailors of the submarine "Cachalot" lining the mast, at the Thetis memorial service.

Home Fleet: Five battleships, two battle-cruisers, five cruisers, two aircraft-carriers, twenty-four destroyers, five submarines.

Mediterranean: Five battleships, one aircraft-carrier, six cruisers, twenty-four destroyers, eight submarines, six motor-torpedo-boats.

East Indies: Three cruisers, seven escort vessels.

Africa: Two cruisers, four escort vessels.

China: Five cruisers, eight destroyers, one aircraft-carrier, five escort vessels, fifteen submarines, six motor-torpedo-boats, and seventeen river gunboats for the Yangtze and West Rivers.

North America: Five cruisers, two escort vessels.

An important point about the distribution of the Fleet to-day is that every ship we have available is on active service, whereas in 1911 we had, behind the main line, a Second Fleet of fourteen battleships (only one less than our total of capital ships at the moment) and two cruiser squadrons, with a Third or Reserve Fleet of fourteen battleships and five cruiser squadrons. Naval limitation by the Washington Treaty and the 1930 London Treaty has so reduced us in numbers that we have not enough ships to keep all six stations properly equipped. This is particularly noticeable in the East. Our force in China in 1914 was two battleships, four cruisers, eight destroyers, four torpedo-boats, three submarines, and sixteen sloops and river gunboats, while the East Indies

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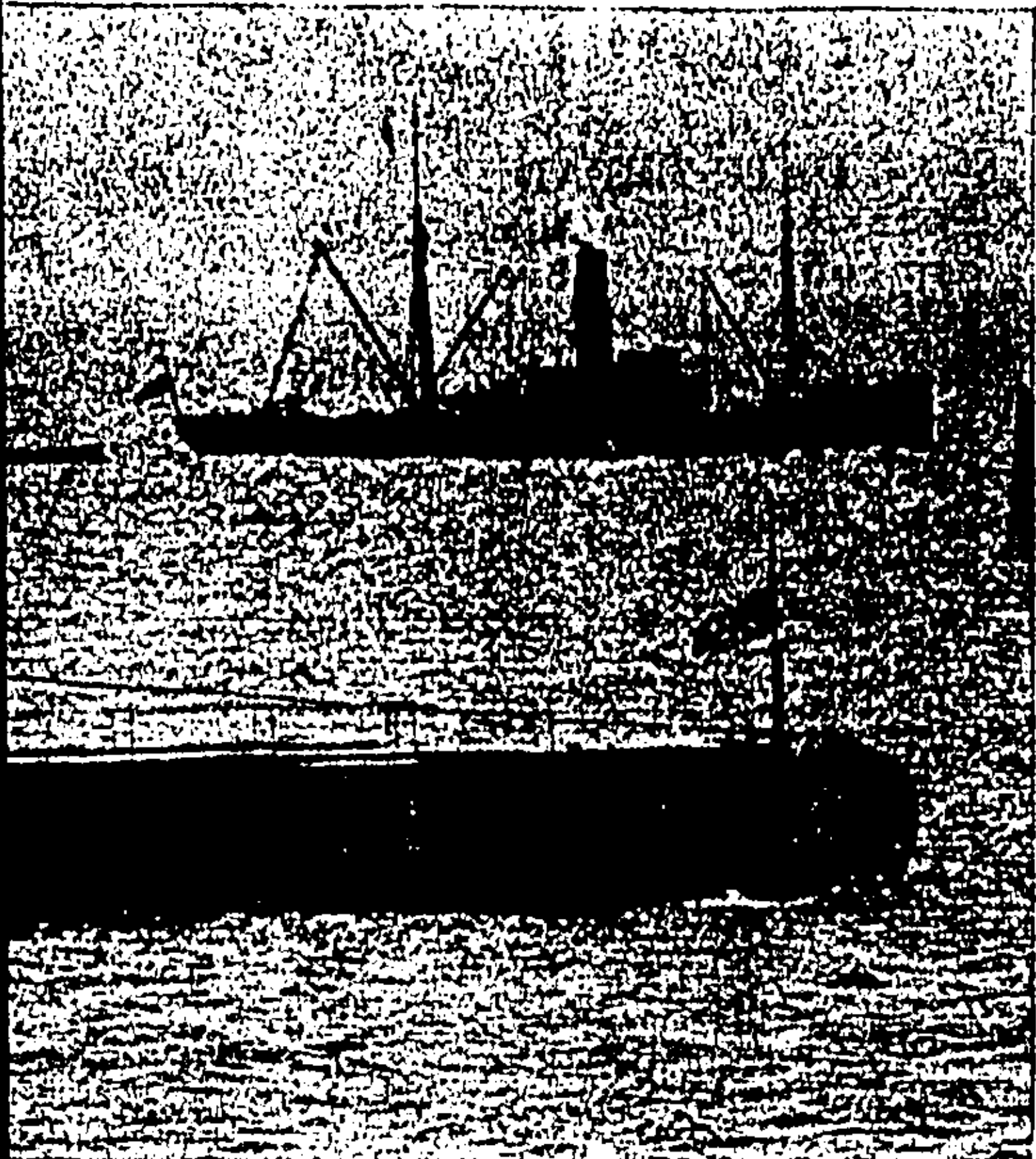
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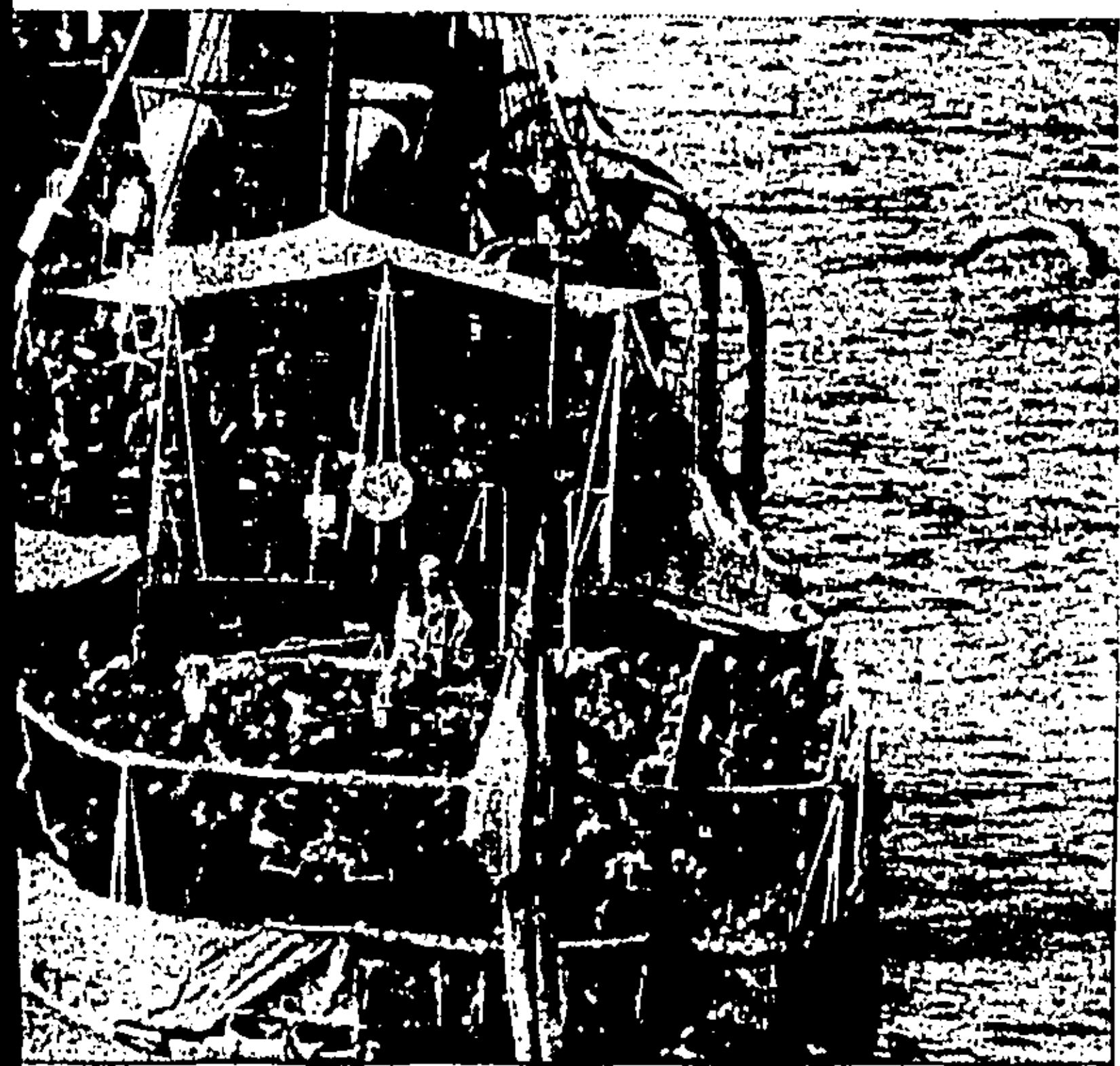
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SERVICE OVER THE 'THETIS' AT SEA.—The ship on June 7 took 200 relatives of the 98 men who were on the submarine 'Thetis' to the spot of the disaster in a Memorial Service. Photo shows the Rev. G. H. Hoare, Chaplain of H.M.S. Dolphin, conducting the service on

of one battle- naval force could be kept small because the Japanese Navy was ready to take on the tasks of naval defence throughout the Far East. That alliance was ended by us after 1919, and to-day the Japanese Fleet might at any moment be at the service of the Axis Powers. The strategic importance of that change in the situation is all too little appreciated by the general public in Britain, and there has been almost a "conspiracy of silence" on the part of public speakers on the subject. Alone among the authorities Sir Samuel Hoare, when First Lord of the Admiralty, touched lightly on it when he said in the House of Commons that Britain must at some time in the near future build her Navy not to a two Power standard but to a two-hemisphere standard.

In a measure that is being done under the rearmament programme. As the battleships of the King George V class come into service it should be possible to detach the older Royal Sovereigns for Eastern service, based on Singapore. Already the new cruisers Manchester and her sisters are in the East Indies. Before long the other two ships of the class, the Edinburgh and Belfast, should start their maiden commissions by becoming units of the China Squadron. Destroyers of more recent date than the D class which at present serve in China can be sent out when the J and K classes are available for home and Mediterranean stations.



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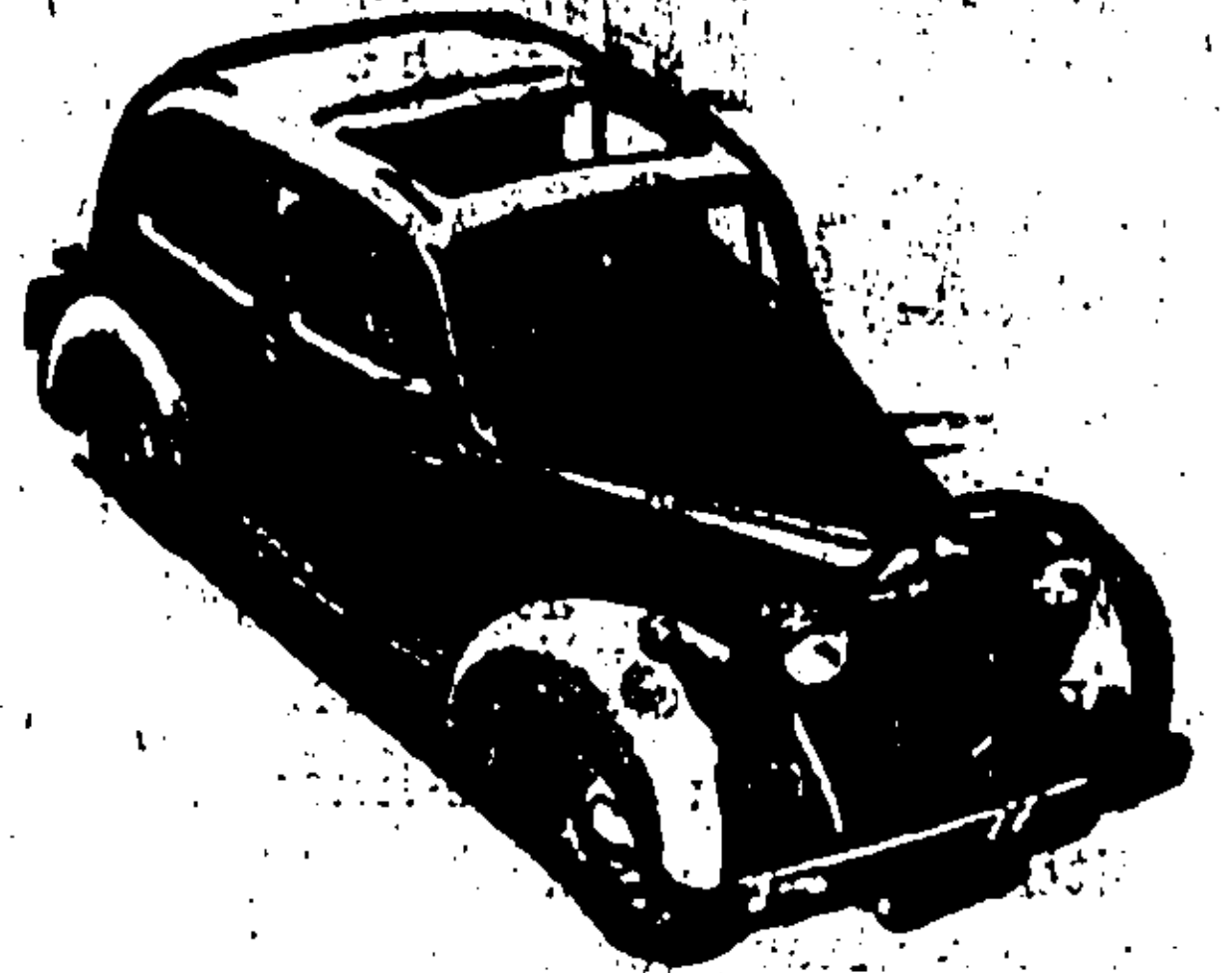
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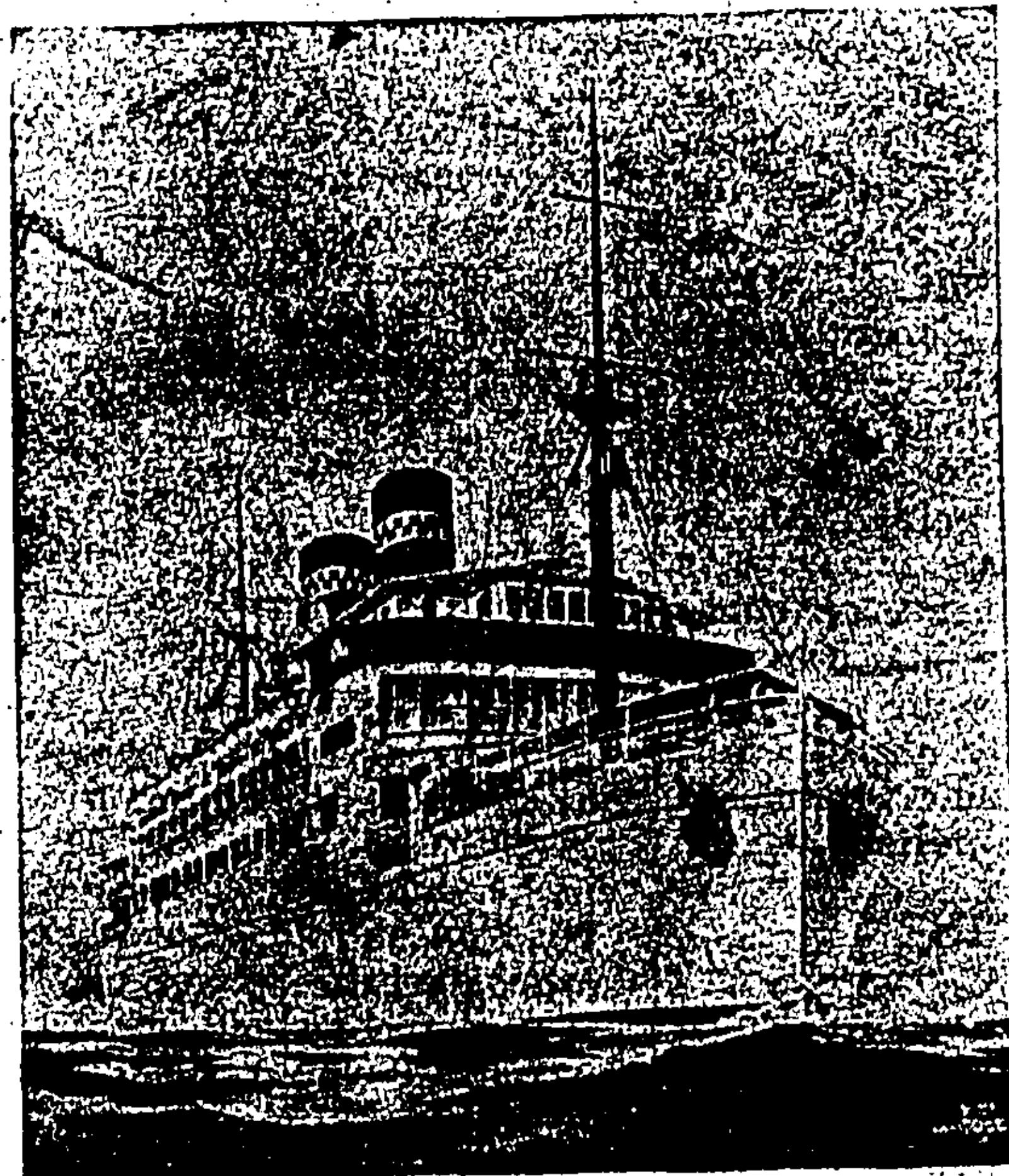
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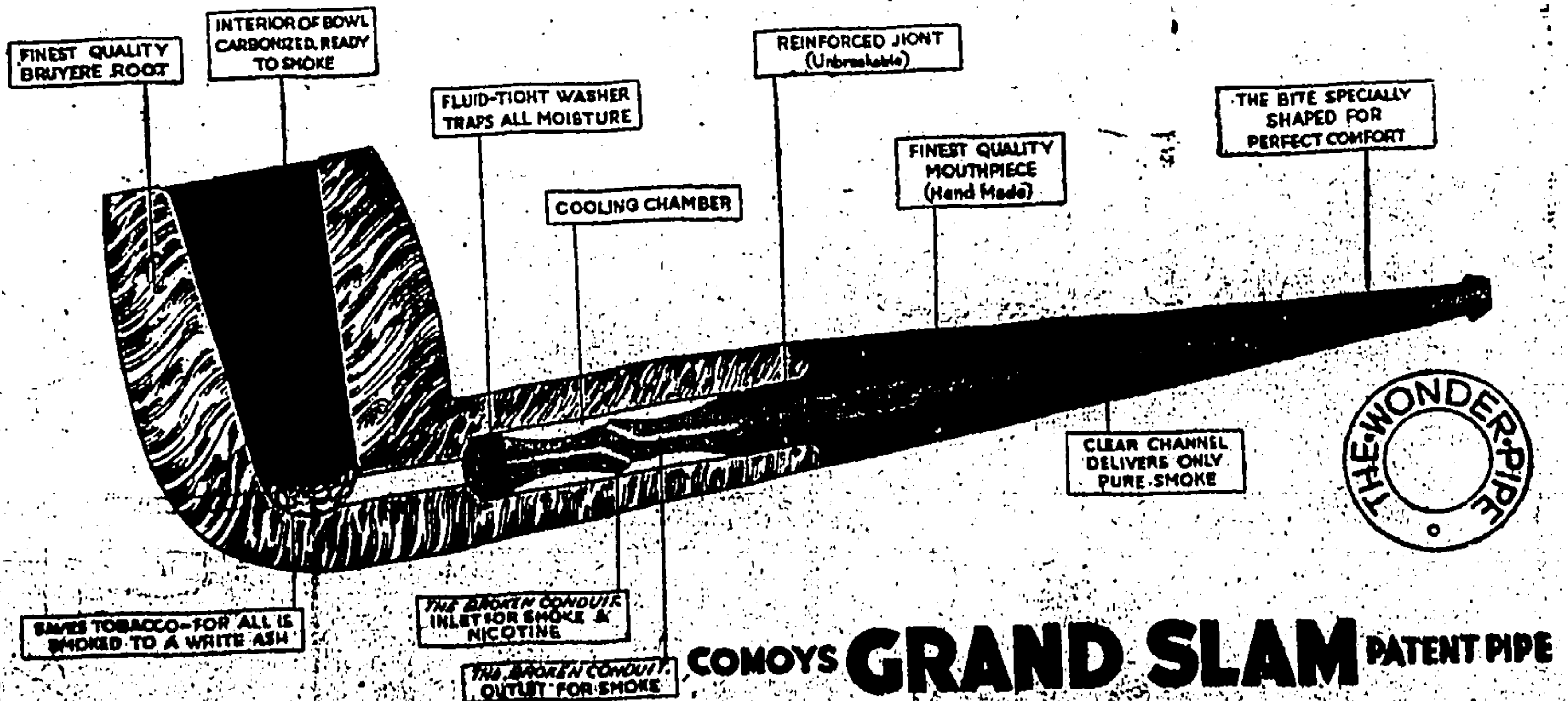
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A bottle of cheap vinegar will also work wonders at spring-cleaning time. It will clean leather furniture if mixed with a little linseed oil. A little should be added to the rinsing water, after loose covers and curtains have been washed; it will fix and brighten the colours. Hot vinegar will remove rust and tarnish from brass and other metal articles, including curtain rails. It will render the insides of bottles and decanters bright and sparkling. Stains on bathroom and kitchen tiles can be removed with vinegar. Vinegar and salt make an excellent non-scratch cleanser for china, enamel, and other delicate surfaces.

BORAX

Borax is another useful cleaner. It is good for silver articles and silks, for light paintwork, and for removing grease and old soap from sponges and nailbrushes. Glycerine and borax are an excellent and harmless stain-remover, especially for grease stains. This mixture is useful for cleaning china and pot ornaments of all kinds, as it does not harm gilt or delicate paint. An excellent and cheap polish for wood is made by melting together an ounce each of white wax and beeswax. When slightly cooled pour in a cupful of turpentine. Do not use this, however, on the new cellulosed woods or on French polish.

PARAFFIN

Paraffin is another cleaner which costs next to nothing. It will polish tiles, porcelain, and enamel, and will not only polish linoleum but help to preserve it. It will remove grease and dirt from the outside of cookers, and is as useful as ammonia for cleaning and polishing windows and paintwork.

What The Stars Foretell

By MARY BLAKE

It will be decidedly unwise this day to assume another person's authority. Personal prerogatives will be zealously guarded, and any infringement of them is apt to be resented. You may find ample evidence before the day ends, that your friends have had you in mind. You are likely to have some very amusing, unique experiences. People as a whole will be an exceptional good humour, with a propensity to indulge in jokes at their friends' expense. Should you be one of the victims, accept their jests good naturedly. Be slow in ridiculing anything or anybody this day, otherwise you may invite trouble. It perhaps will be well to make only reasonable requests this day, and refrain from being too insistent that they be granted. Married and engaged couples, and those contemplating matrimony, must not allow false pride to get the better of their common sense, if they wish this to be a harmonious day.

If a woman and June 19 is your birthday, you probably will have a large circle of acquaintances, but comparatively few intimate friends. Although you are fully capable of fighting your own battles the chances are you will have someone to fight them for you. You might impress people who meet you for the first time as being pleasure-loving, but those who learn to know you apparently will discover that you have an intellectual depth they did not dream you possessed. A trained nurse, newspaper woman, real estate or insurance agent or singer you might make a fortune and a long-remembered name. You seem destined to have a very happy married life.

The child born on June 19, has so much determination sometimes, that it is mistaken for stubbornness. This youngster is likely to have some well-defined ambition which is evidently worthy of encouragement.

It's The Truth Isn't It

The good housewife is known by the bread she bakes.

Helping a friend is more important than coddling him.

Depressions help in developing that streamlined figure.

No man should attempt to settle down before he settles up.

A monument should be erected to the woman who refuses the last word.

The old advice — make some money and save some money — is still good.

No home is so dull as that where the people are trying to live within their income.

If charity were to begin at home, the neighbours would come over and borrow it and never bring it back.

For what profiteth it a man if he gains the whole world, and then can't find money to pay the taxes on it.

Sticking to the truth is a good recipe for keeping out of trouble — and keeping your mouth closed lots of the time is another.

A fool and his money are soon outsmarted.

Keeping up appearances helps keep down the surplus.

It is better to have cash in the hand than a note in the bank.

FAVORITE RECIPES IN OUR FAMILY

DATE BREAD

Pour
 $\frac{3}{4}$ cup boiling water over
 1 cup dates, cut up, and
 1 teaspoon baking soda. Allow this to stand for several hours. Beat
 1 egg, adding
 $\frac{3}{4}$ cup sugar and
 1 tablespoon melted butter. Then add
 $1\frac{3}{4}$ cups flour, sifted with
 $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt. Add
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup walnut meats. Mix all together well and bake in 350 deg. F. oven for about one hour. This is nice baked in baking powder tins, also.

FRUIT MERINGUE

Drain desired number of pieces of canned pears or canned peaches. Make a good meringue by beating together.

2 egg whites
 6 tablespoons sugar
 Pinch baking powder and
 Salt. (Sugar must be added slowly and meringue must be beaten until very stiff. Pile meringue onto pear-halves or peach-halves and bake in slow oven until meringue is nicely browned. Chill. Serve with custard made as follows:

Mix together
 2 egg yolks
 3 tablespoons sugar
 Little salt. Pour over this, stirring well,
 1 $\frac{1}{3}$ cups scalded milk Place over hot water and stir until thick, or just until custard coats spoon. The addition of small pieces of lemon peel to the custard gives it a different and delicious flavour. These should be removed before serving. This amount of meringue and custard will make enough for about 12 or 14 pieces of fruit.

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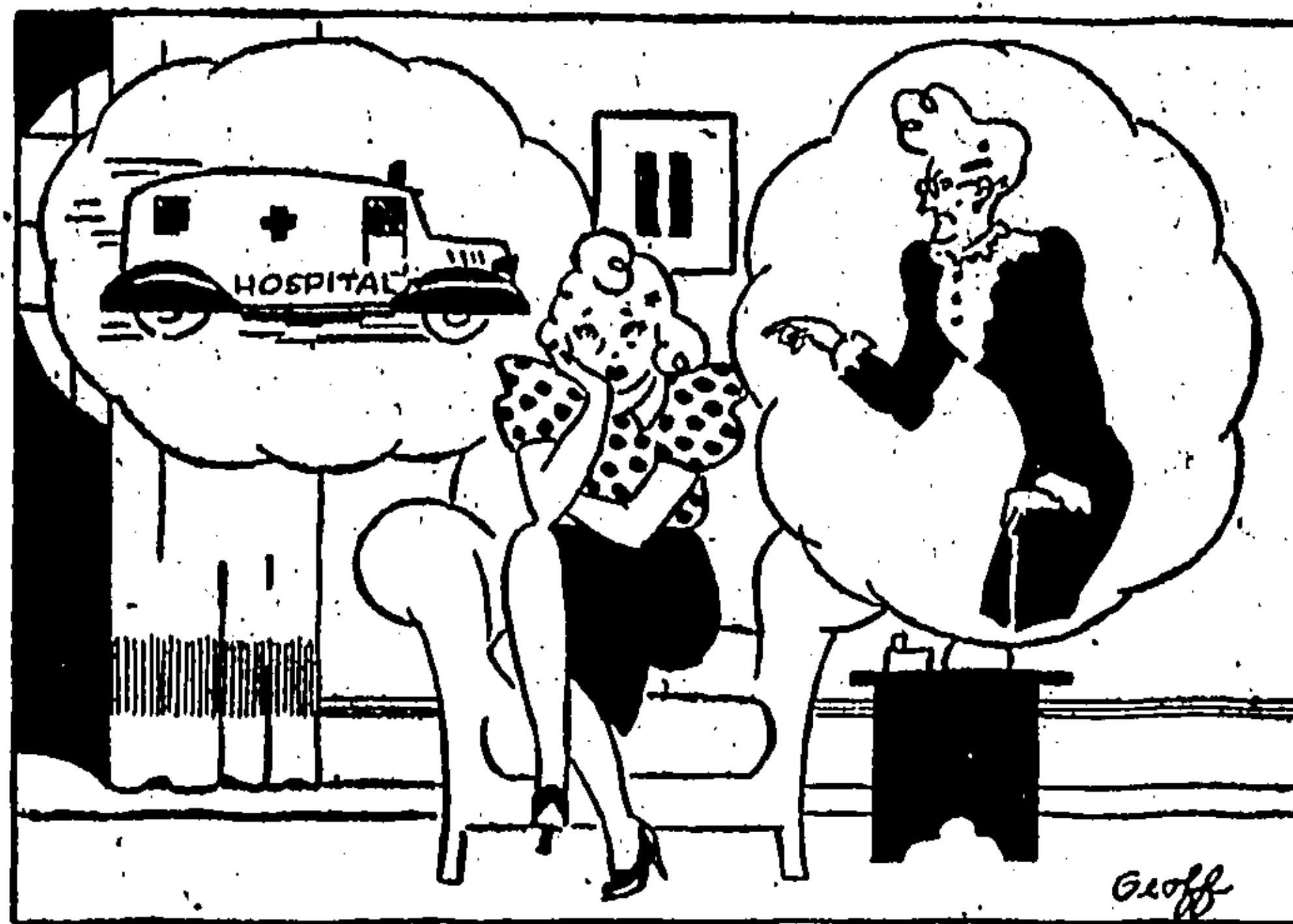
Chronic Fear Shortens Woman's Life

As spring is usually the season of hope, I want to urge all women and girls who are now unhappy to take a fresh grip! No woman can be attractive if she is going to let fear or worry get her down. If one embraces one's problems logically it is simply miraculous how they become solved!

A great many women (and men too) let fear cheat them of half

their life. Women fear old age, sickness, the other woman, that harm might come to their children, that their husbands might lose their jobs. A million and one phantom thoughts disturb their mind and prevent them from carrying on in full capacity.

"I've known women to be chronically ill for years yet would do nothing about it because they fear-



Visions of WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN has made this woman wretched FEAR has robbed her of the happiness she should be having. Don't let that happen to you!

Witty Kitty



Harmony is that noise you hear about 2.00 a.m. emanating from under the lampost just outside your window.

Slenderizing Paneled Skirt

This is the loveliest possible design for your new print or dark sheer, if you want something for street wear and informal afternoons both—and if you want to look slimmer than you are. A very weight-diminishing detail is the midriff section, cut in one with the front and back skirt panels. This trick creates a long, unbroken line that is extremely slenderizing. Darts on the shoulders and gathers above the waistline assure you comfortable fit over the bust, with no undue fullness.

Classically simple, this dress has an elegance of line that seems amazing, when you discover how very easy it is to make. The pattern includes a detailed sew chart. For this choose, silk crepe, georgette or chiffon.



ed seeking a doctor's advice about their ailments. The doctor might tell them they had this or that. He might advise an operation and there wasn't money for one. And he might tell them these wasn't a thing wrong with them! If that was the case they could no longer hang on to the sympathy and help they were mulking from those around them!

WHY BE AFRAID?

Why should you be afraid? Afraid of anything. The truth is never so stark as the fear! Isn't it better to face the issue, get your mind cleared, and take a new deep breath and carry on? What a relief once you KNOW about a thing. You usually can kick yourself for wasting hours on FEARING it!

Without fear a woman can move mountains. Literally! She can feel within herself the energy to do whatever there is to do—whatever she desires to do! And if that driving energy is directed well, there is no estimating her accomplishment.

Think for a minute of the many women who have done things, who are going things now! Big things. Things which help our entire civilization. Madame Curie, who discovered radium for instance. Do

you think she wasted time and energy on FEAR. Absolutely not. She pushed ahead, pushed fear and doubt out of her life. She fashioned on determination. She ignored minor irritations, stupid accepted limitations. No inconsequential tiff of words ruined her day. No dread of what MIGHT happen to her, slowed her work. She had no time to spend in FEAR and she succeeded in not only having a very happy life but she gave some of it to humanity so millions might be cured of dreaded disease.

TAKE NEW GRIP

Most of the things you worry about are so trivial when you think of life as a whole that it is silly for you to worry! Why let WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN ruin your today? Just realise that you can do what you earnestly want to do—if there appears to be no way, you can find one. If you want to begin with being lovelier than you are—why just start acquiring beauty to-day. If beauty gives you self confidence, work for it. Then work for the next goal. Thus, on and on, you will be stepping toward a realisation which you FEARED could never be realised. Your life can be happy, your fear dispelled. It's simply up to you to take a new grip on life and head for where you want to go!

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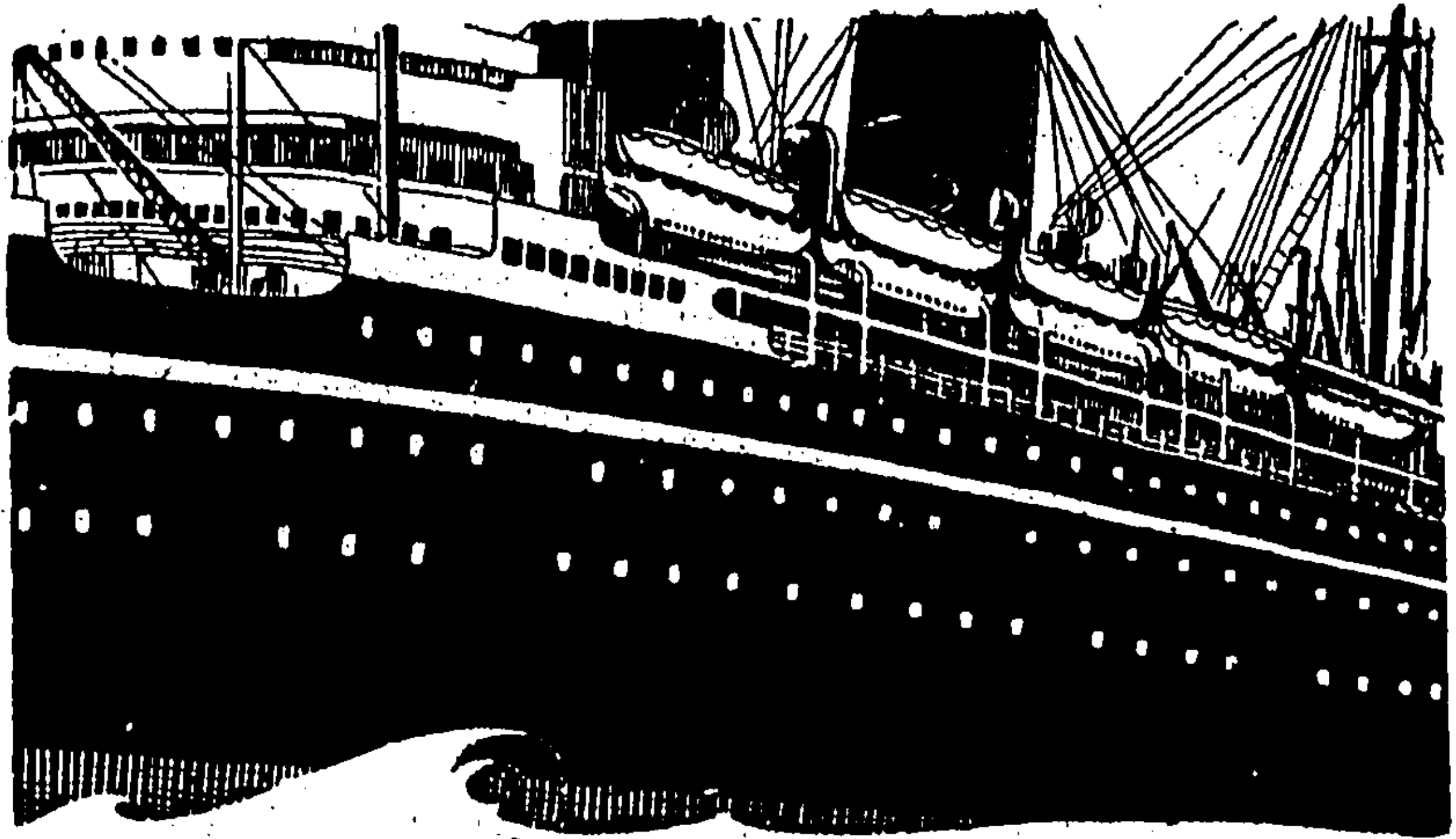
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RANCHI	17,000	30th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
SRANPURA	17,000	14th Oct.	do
RAWALPINDI	17,000	28th Oct.	do
CHITRAL	15,000	11th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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Straits	Teucer	June 20.
Formosa	Canton Maru	June 20.
Shanghai, Amoy and Swatow	Szechuen	June 20.
Rabaul	Friderun	June 20.
Calcutta and Straits	Santhia	June 20.
Japan	Bellerophon	June 20.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 14th June.	Imperial Airways Plane	June 20.
Shanghai, Amoy and Swatow	Taiyuan	June 20.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 14th June.	Pan-American Airways Plane	June 21.
Tientsin and Swatow	Yingchow	June 21.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Papers etc.)—London date, 25th May and London Parcels—London date, 18th May	Chitral	June 21.
Amoy	Anshun	June 21.
Rabaul and Manila	Neptuna	June 21.
Straits	Boissevain	June 21.
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For	Per	Date and Time.
SATURDAY		
MONDAY		
Swatow	Seistan	Mon., June 19, 3.00 p.m.
Bangkok	Halldor	Mon., June 19, 3.30 p.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 26th June.	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon., June 19
	K.P.O.	Reg., June 19, 5 p.m.
	G.P.O.	Ord., June 19, 5.30 p.m.
	Reg.,	June 19 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	June 19, 7 p.m.
Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 26th June.	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon., June 19
	K.P.O.	Reg., June 19, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	June 19, 5.30 p.m.
	G.P.O.	Reg., June 19, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	June 19, 7 p.m.
Japan	Kutsang	Mon., June 19, 7.00 p.m.
TUESDAY		
Canton	Fatshan	June 20, 7.15 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	June 20, 2 p.m.
Pakhoi via Fort Bayard	Kaying	June 20, 2.30 p.m.
Fort Bayard	Jean Dupuis	June 20, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow	Yochow	June 20, 2.30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY		
Canton	Canton Maru	Wed., June 21, 7.15 p.m.
Swatow	Wosang	Wed., June 21, 1.30 p.m.
Haiphong	Mingsang	Wed., June 21, 3.00 p.m.
Chuanchow and Amoy	Szechuen	Wed., June 21, 3.30 p.m.
THURSDAY		
Airmail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, Pan American Airways Plane and U.S.A., by the "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco 28th June.	Thursday, June 22.	
	K.P.O.	Reg., Wed., June 21, 5.00 p.m.
	Ord.,	Wed., June 21, 5.30 p.m.
	G.P.O.	Reg., Wed., June 21, 5.00 p.m.
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Shanghai, Japan and Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) via Siberia.	Chitral	Thur., June 22, 10.30 a.m.
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	Par.,	Thur., June 22, 11.00 a.m.
	Papers,	Thur., June 22, Noon.
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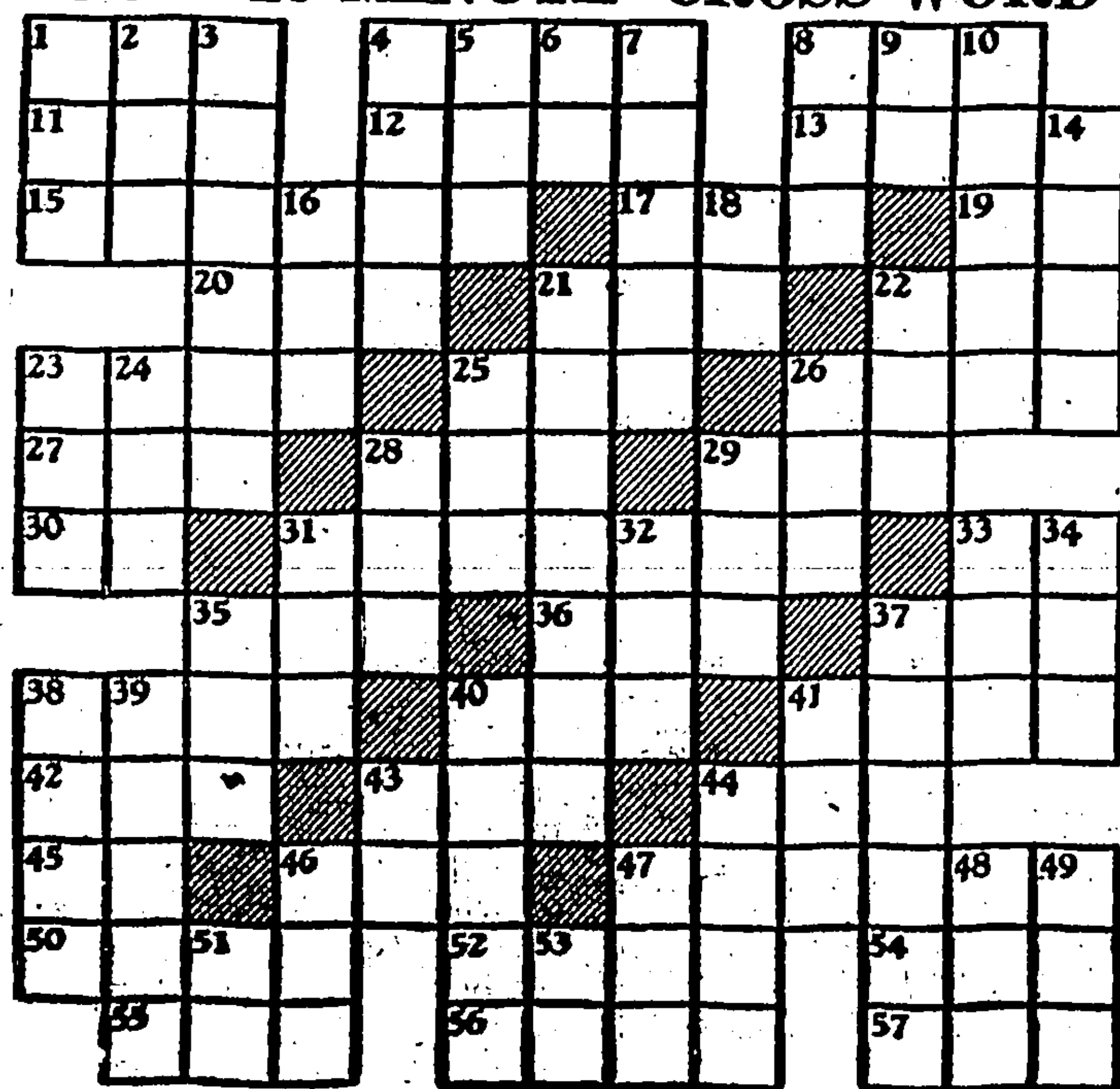
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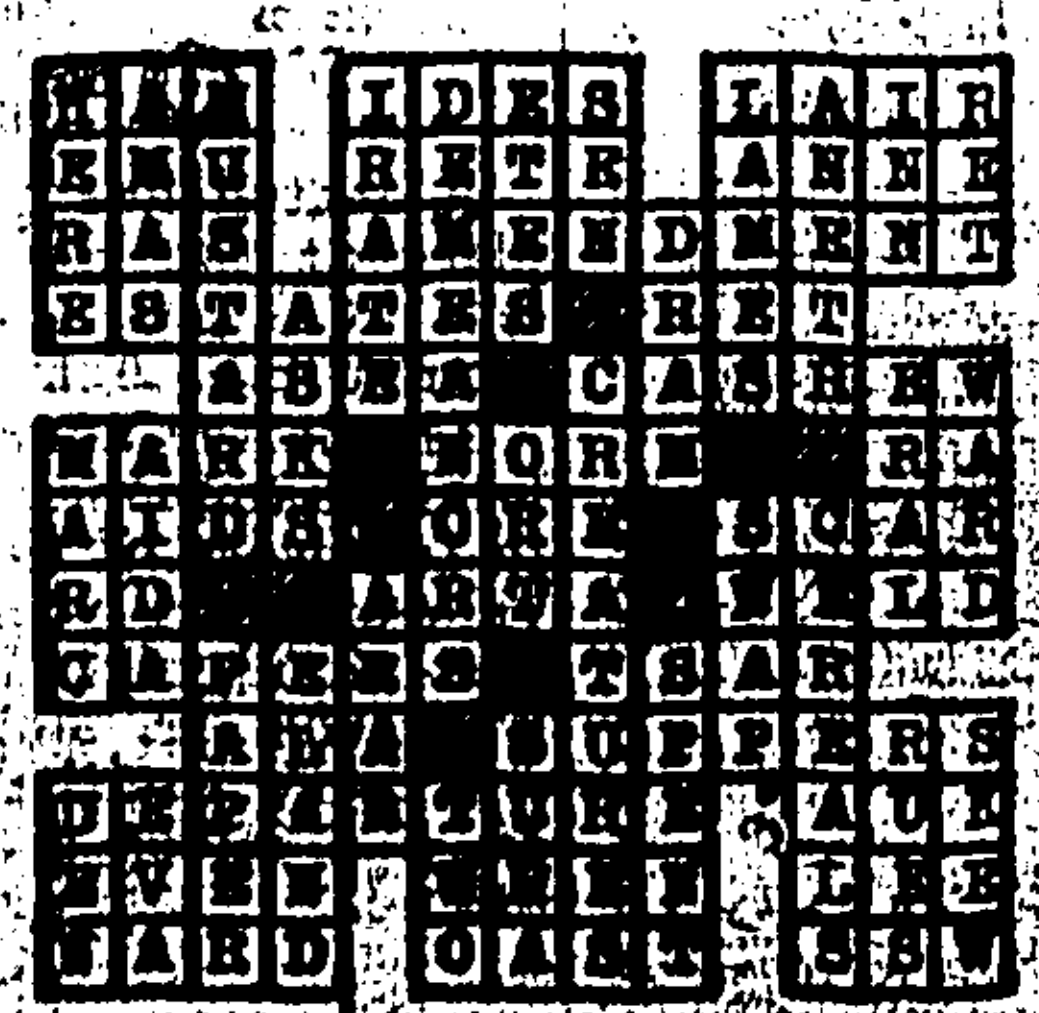
HORIZONTAL

- 1 The total
- 4 Oriental official
- 8 The whole amount
- 11 Hail
- 12 Alleviate
- 13 Consider
- 15 A hoax
- 17 For shame
- 19 Southern state (abbr.)
- 20 Not wet
- 21 To place
- 22 Chum
- 23 Pronoun
- 25 Steamer (abbr.)
- 26 Fabric
- 27 Measure of distance
- 28 Purative
- 29 Under-ground stream (S. Af.)
- 30 Old pronoun
- 31 Adherent of atomism
- 33 Exclamation
- 35 Form of "to be"
- 36 Writing fluid
- 37 Passenger vehicle
- 38 Ampere (abbr.)
- 40 Swamp

VERTICAL

- 1 Midwestern
- 2 Pulp fruit
- 3 Sewed
- 4 Weird
- 5 Angry
- 6 Exists
- 7 Attribute
- 8 American humourist
- 9 French article
- 10 Lawful
- 14 Grain material
- 16 Prepare for battle
- 18 Pronoun
- 21 Golf term
- 22 Through
- 23 To attempt
- 24 Garden tool
- 25 Slow (var.)
- 26 Obese
- 28 Salute (abbr.)
- 29 To inquire
- 31 Arsenal (abbr.)
- 32 Hostelry
- 33 Colour
- 34 Beast of burden
- 35 Likely
- 37 To scold
- 38 Mimics
- 39 Shaded walks
- 40 Fire
- 41 Scotch cap
- 42 Correlative of either
- 44 Finishes
- 45 Greek letter
- 47 Noun suffix: act. of doing
- 48 Weight
- 49 French: summer
- 51 News service (abbr.)
- 53 Comparative ending

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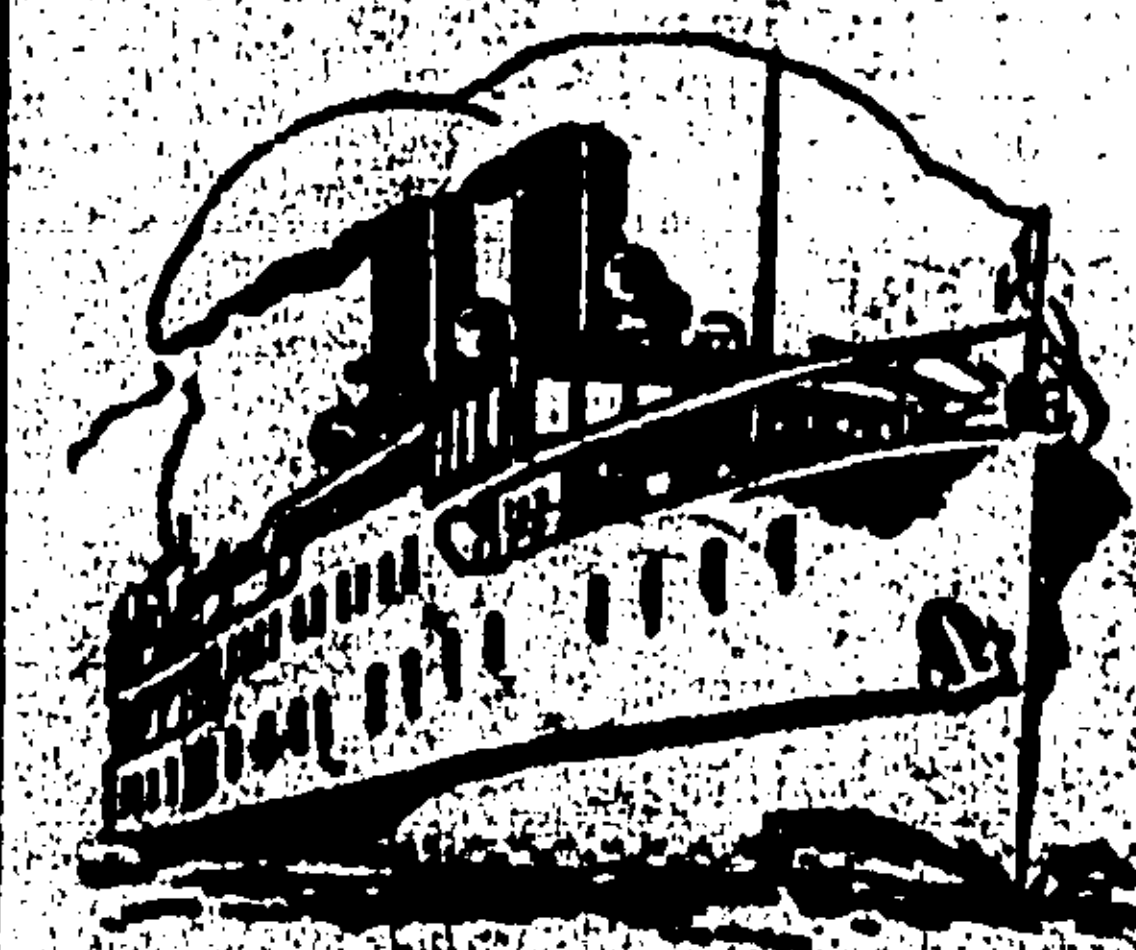
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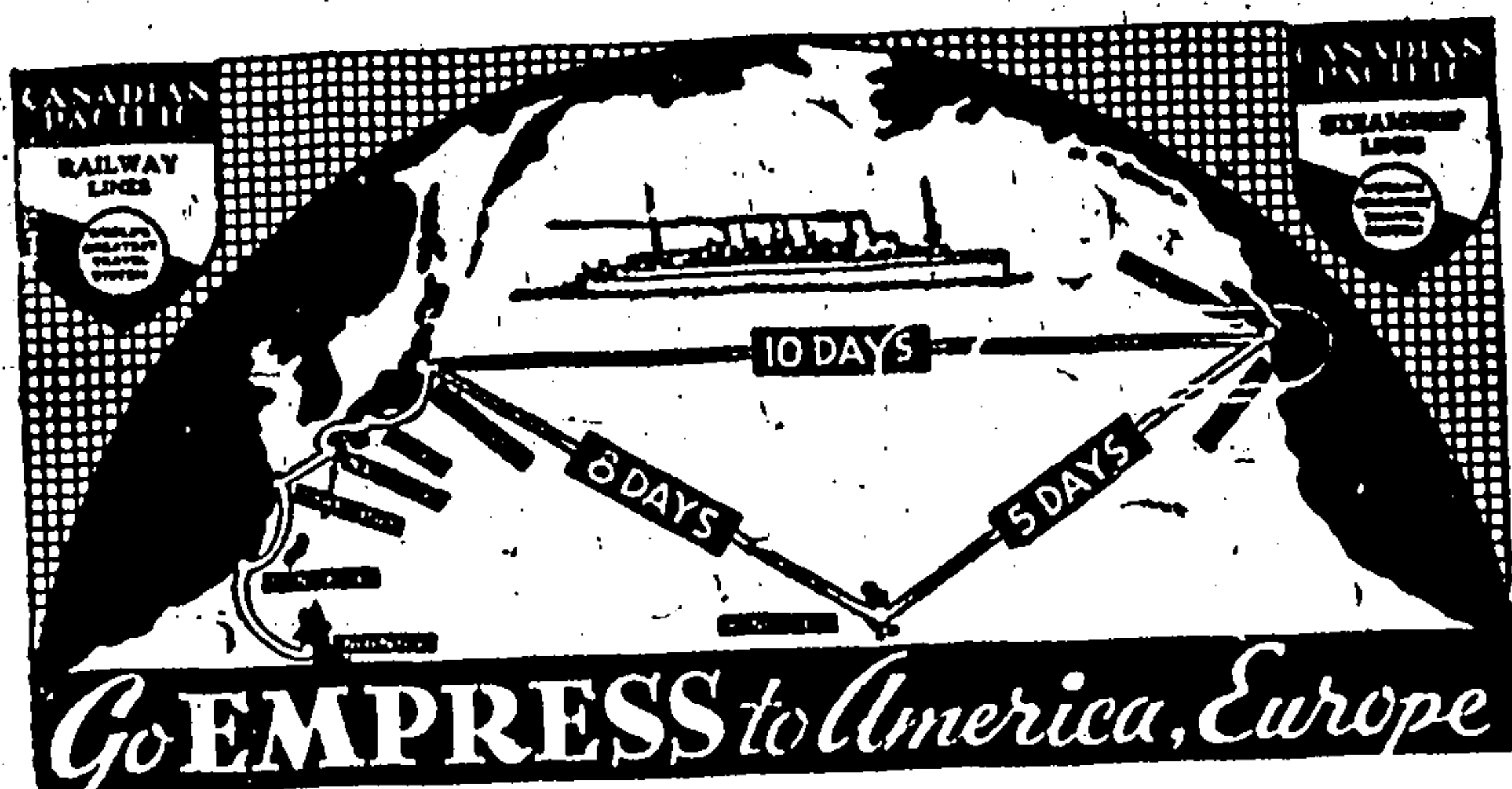
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PACT TALK PROSPECTS NOT UNFAVOURABLE

LONDON, TO-DAY.
A VEIL OF SECRECY SUR-
ROUNDS THE ANGLO-SOVIET
NEGOTIATION IN MOSCOW,
AND THE NEWSPAPERS CON-
TAIN ONLY THE BARE DE-
TAILS OF THE LATEST MEET-
INGS BETWEEN BRITISH AND
RUSSIAN DIPLOMATS IN THE
SOVIET CAPITAL.

A report appearing in the Paris press, however, says that the Soviet Foreign Commissar, M. Molotov, stated he hoped to be able to reply to the British and French representatives in the near future.

The latest meeting in Moscow is said to have been confined to an expression by the British and French representatives of the wishes of their Governments, which were translated for M. Molotov by the Vice-Commissar, M. Potemkin.

The impression in Paris is not unfavourable, and according to information received, there is nothing to justify any pessimism.

It is understood in Paris that Far Eastern problems remain outside the framework of the negotiations.—Trans-Ocean and Reuter.

FRENCH CANADA'S MESSAGE

Quebec, To-day.

Mr. E. L. Patenaude, Lt.-Governor of Canada's French-speaking province, has sent a message to the King and Queen as follows:

"Our people regretfully see their Sovereigns, who have conquered them by their charm and exquisite goodness, separate themselves in distance from their shores."—Reuter.

Nearly 300 members of Hong Kong Chinese Clerical Union and their friends attended their first picnic of the season to Clear Water Bay yesterday under fine weather conditions.

The launch left Blake Pier at 2 p.m. and returned late in the afternoon. Tea was served at 4 p.m., after an hour's swim, and musical items, by members of the Union, were well-received.

Mr. Li Kim Kam, principal of Li's Health Academy, gave a muscle-control exhibition during the return voyage.



Ralph Bellamy is a featured member of the Columbia "Girls' School" cast. The romantic comedy of youthful love and intrigue, coming to the King's Theatre, co-features Anne Shirley and Nan Grey.

U.S. DEBS IN TITLE "FIGHT"

Society in half a dozen U.S. cities are grooming their prettiest debutantes to try to wrest from Brenda Frazier the reputation of being America's No. 1 "Glamour Girl."

Many thousands of pounds will be lavished at "coming-out" parties in an effort to surpass the magnificence with which Miss Frazier was introduced to society last December. Her party cost £10,000.

Boston's younger set have nominated blonde Eleanor Frothingham for the title of society princess. She is the seventeenth-year-old daughter of Theodore Frothingham, a cotton broker.

Svelte Elizabeth Alexander, who is in the running, was recently recalled from school in Europe to escape the rumbles of war.

Sent Back To School

But there was so much excitement about her impending introduction to society that her mother, Mrs. Guy Torrey, decided that it might be quieter for her in Europe and sent her back to school.

Other candidates include: Mary Steele, a pretty blonde girls, already watched by film scouts, who hope to lure her to Hollywood. She is the daughter of a wealthy broker, and will be eighteen in October.

Patricia Plunkett, expert horse-woman, whose mother abandoned many of her social activities to direct a successful business.

Mary and Ann Osborne, vivacious red-head twins.

All the contenders are aged from seventeen to nineteen, and are planning their debuts for this summer or early autumn.

INDOOR BOWLING

Big Match To-Night

A match has been arranged to take place at the Hong Kong Bowling Alleys at 8 p.m. to-day between a team from U.S.S. Ashville and The Champs.

The latter aggregation, who are the local champions, need no introduction to followers of the game, but the Ashville side are reputed to be up to the best standard and are expected to fully extend Dr. Molthen's big four.

A very exciting match is anticipated, and ladies are cordially invited to attend.

RUNCIMAN MAY HEAD NEW MINISTRY

London, To-day.

The future of Lord Runciman, who at present holds the sinecure position of Lord President of the Council, is still undecided.

There is a move by a number of M.P.'s to urge the creation of a Ministry of Shipping, or at least of a special Department of the Board of Trade, to deal with the reserve shipping fleet scheme.

If the new Department is created and Lord Runciman (who with his shipping connections would be a choice to head the Department) decides to go, Mr. Chamberlain, it is believed, has in mind a well-known industrialist for such a job.—Our Own Correspondent.

SMALL WAR AT AN END

London, To-day.

The large-scale tribal hostilities against British authority in North Waziristan have collapsed.

Though still uncaptured, the Fakir of Ipi, who has been mainly responsible for fomenting the trouble which began two and a half years ago, now lurks as a fugitive, practically friendless, near the Afghan border.

This important development lies behind a terse communique issued in Simla announcing that settlements have been reached with the Tori Khel and Madda Khel tribes, and that the British air blockade, which has cut the tribesmen off from the farmlands, has been lifted.—Our Own Correspondent.

LOCAL BASEBALL

U. B. WIN EASILY

Two very uninteresting baseball games were played yesterday when Recreation defeated the South China team by nine runs to 5.

This game was completed under protest when the plate umpire overruled the base umpires' decision in the fourth inning.

Not only did the U. B. blank the Hong Kong Baseball club but trounced them by 23 runs. The U. B. scored 12 hits to the Club's.

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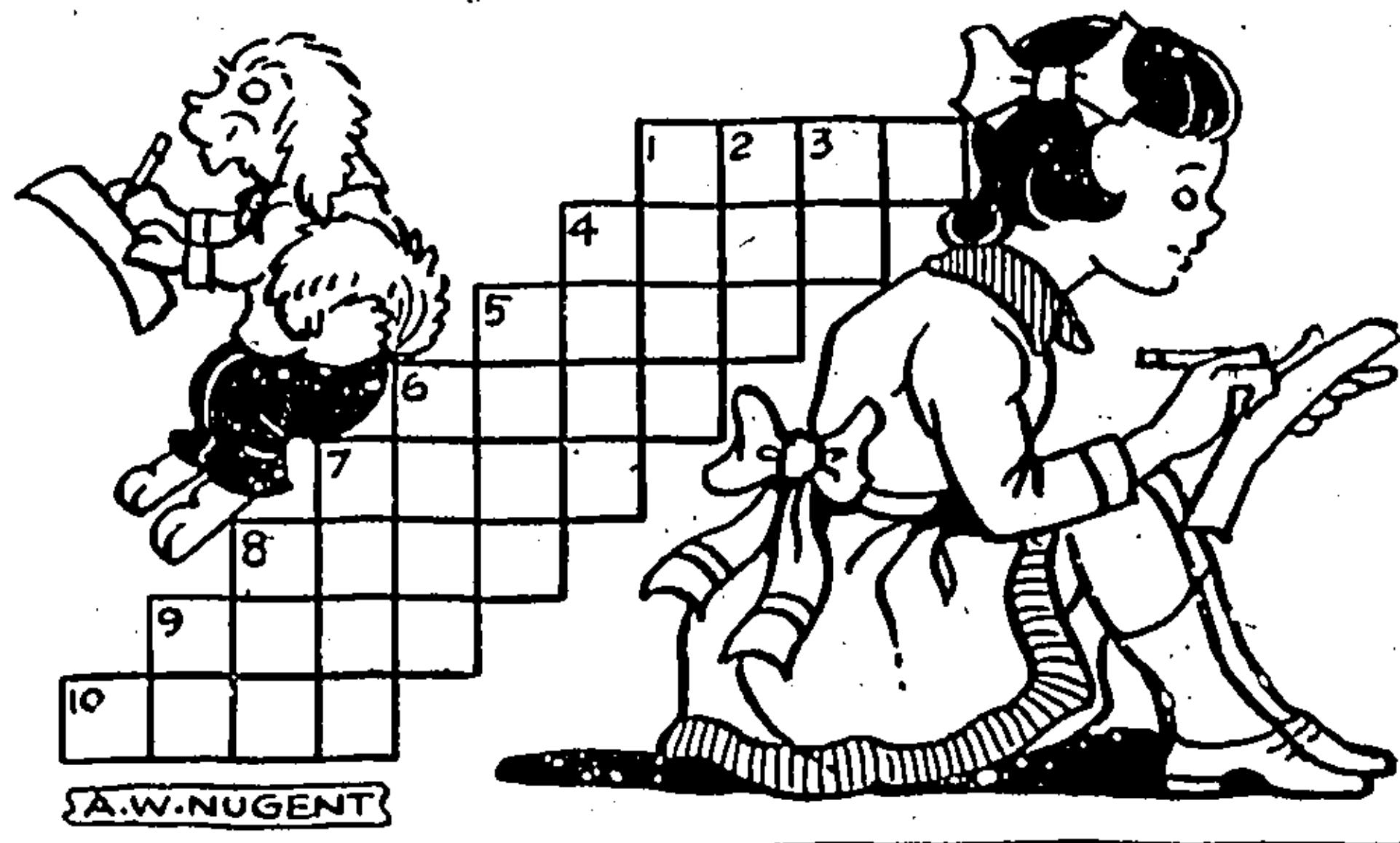
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DOWN—1, BARREL HOLE STOPPER; 2, SINGLE; 3, LIKE; 4, TO BREATHE HARD; 5, DEAL; 6, A NUMERAL; 7, DOMESTICATE; 8, A SEED-VESSEL OF A PLANT; 9, A SOUND OF LAUGHTER.



Answer to-morrow.

EMPIRE DELEGATES GOING TO LONDON

London, To-day.

Delegates of an unusual kind and with an unusual mission are coming to London shortly, it is understood, from various parts of the Empire.

Their countries are largely self-governing, but this has not destroyed admiration for our civil service in general and the sections of it dealing with foreign affairs in particular.

Members of the corresponding departments overseas are, therefore, coming to study the machinery and the personnel by which and by whom Britain is administered.

The investigations will range from the direction of the consular service to the keeping of files.—Our Own Correspondent.

OLD AGE PETITION

London, To-day.

A petition calling for an increase in the old age pension is being prepared by Mr. H. Graham White, M.P. for Birkenhead East.

The petition will be presented to the Prime Minister at 10, Downing Street.

So far there are 50,000 or more signatures to it, and it is expected that by the time it is presented there will be 100,000.

Signatures are being collected in various parts of the country, especially where distress is most prevalent.—Our Own Correspondent.

LOCAL DOLLAR

The demand rate on the Hong Kong dollar to-day was 1/2-11/16.

"Spot" silver was quoted in London at 19-11/16 and forward at 19-7/16.

The London on New York rate was quoted at 8—U.S.\$4.6815 and the New York on London rate at 8—U.S.\$4.68-1/4.

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Atoks Ps. 27 sa.
Baguio Gold Ps. 23½ sa.
Itogons Ps. 23 sa.
North Camarines Ps. 27½ sa.
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Suyoc Consol. Ps. 15 sa.
United Paracales Ps. 44 sa.
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" 508	84.60
" 502	42.30
Unplaced starters:—Nos. 104, 218, 430, 316, 138 and 60—\$10 each.	

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No. 35	\$318.90
" 105	91.10
" 611	45.50
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ABBAS'S RINK ELIMINATED: A.K. MINU SCORES "POSSIBLE"

THE most exciting in yesterday's Open Rink Bowls Championship games was between rinks skipped by B. W. Bradbury and E. de Souza at Civil Service Cricket Club.

With a three on the 20th head, Souza was being led by 15-18 but in the next head he scored another three to tie the score. In the extra head Bradbury scored a single.

M. R. Abbas' rink, conquerors of C. G. Silva's last year's champions were eliminated by U. M. Omar's by 29 shots to 15.

At Kowloon Football Club a rink skipped by A. K. Minu scored a "possible" against T. A. Madar's and won by 38-13.

The following are the results of games played yesterday:—

At Civil Service Cricket Club
J. W. Leonard, K. M. Omar, A. E. Coates and B. W. Bradbury beat J. C. Remedios, C. C. Pereira, O. P. Remedios and E. de Souza 19-18 on the 22nd head.

L. Lammert, G. E. Stephens, G. Duncan and W. Gill beat L. C. R. Souza, W. Ward, W. K. Way and C. S. Rosselet by 23-16 on the Police R. C. green.

At Hong Kong F.C.
W. J. Penny, A. A. Razack, A. M. Omar and U. M. Omar beat J. Hoosen, A. Bakar, A. O. Madar and M. R. Abbas 29-15.

At Indian R.C.
R. Main, H. O. Gillies, W. Melrose and J. C. Chalmers beat W. McNeill, X. W. Lam, N. P. Karanjia and E. Zimmern 25-11.

J. M. Forrest, G. S. Alexander, G. Perkins and J. Oram beat J. H. Xavier, G. S. Ladd, T. Locke and J. Pau 29-14.

At Police Recreation Club Green
E. L. S.H., C. and H. E. Strange beat R. P. Phillips, H. J. Bicknell, J. S. Logan and J. G. Meyer 19-14.

J. Howells, R. P. Shaw, N. Bebbington, and A. Brooksbanks beat J. Smith, G. W. Bowden, W. Hobbs and R. S. Meadows easily 22-10 on the Craigen-gower green.

Continued at foot of Next Column



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Macao Race Meeting

The following are the results of yesterday's Macao Race Meeting:—

1.—AREIA PRETA HANDICAP—(Seven Furlongs).

Mr. J. M. Braga's Fairy Ousel ... 1
(Mr. S. C. Liang)
Mr. J. H. Potts' Victory Life ... 2
(Mr. H. J. A. Hearne)
Mr. F. F. S's Coureur Bleu ... 3
(Mr. K. I. Ip)

Distance won: Many lengths, 3 lengths between second and third.
Time: 16-2/5, 49-4/5, 1-24-4/5, 2-00-1/5.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$35.60.
Places: \$9.20, \$8.50, \$23.20.

2.—MA KAU SIAC HANDICAP—(Six Furlongs).

Mr. C. S. W's Iron Knight ... 1
(Mr. H. P. Chanson)
Mr. O-Moon's Cloudy Star ... 2
(Mr. K. I. Ip)
Mr. C. K. Chung's Fan Tan ... 3
(Mr. H. J. A. Hearne)

Distance won: A length, a length between second and third.
Time: 32-3/5, 1-07, 1-45.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$17.80.
Places: \$7.60, \$7.30, \$9.
(Winner disqualified for bumping. National Triumph given 3rd place).

3.—MONTE HANDICAP (1ST SECTION)—(Six Furlongs).

Mr. A. H. R. Butcher's March Brown ... 1
(Mr. H. J. A. Hearne)
Miss Fearon's Palmer ... 2
(Mr. S. C. Liang)
Mr. Kia Ora's Arabian Cat ... 3
(Mr. G. W. Cooper)

Distance won: 3/4 length, many length between second and third.
Time: 30-1/5, 1-03, 1-35-2/5.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$12.70.
Places: \$6.10, \$6, \$8.50.

4.—BARRA HANDICAP (1ST SECTION)—(Seven Furlongs).

Mr. Lan's Plain View ... 1
(Mr. K. I. Ip)
Mr. W. Raymond's Double Chance ... 2
(Mr. G. R. Payne)
Mr. T. W. Lee's Dekko ... 3
(Mr. L. B. Chao)

Distance won: a length, a head between second and third.
Time: 15-1/5, 46-1/5, 1-18-4/5, 1-52.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$11.20.
Places: \$6.70, \$16, \$9.

5.—GUIA HANDICAP—(Five Furlongs).

Mr. H. C. McComb's Hogmanay ... 1
(Mr. S. C. Liang)
Mr. J. H. Potts' Shanghai 4 ... 2
(Mr. H. J. A. Hearne)
Mr. Sports 1's Rotheray Bay ... 3
(Mr. K. I. Ip)

Time: 16-4/5, 50-2/5, 1-23-3/5.
Distance won: 2 lengths, 4 lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$23.70.
Places: \$8.80, \$8.10.

6.—BARRA HANDICAP (2ND SECTION)—(Seven Furlongs).

Mr. A. H. P's Jack O'Lantern ... 1
(Mr. B. L. Tao)
Mr. Sports' Sports Venture ... 2
(Mr. H. J. A. Hearne)
Li Bros's Wild Bear ... 3
(Mr. H. C. Pih)

Distance won: 3 lengths, 2 lengths between second and third.
Time: 15-4/5, 45-4/5, 1-17-3/5, 1-51-4/5.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$41.
Places: \$10.20, \$8.10, \$12.60.

7.—MONTE HANDICAP (2ND SECTION)—(Six Furlongs).

Mr. Fish's The Mermaid ... 1
(Mr. H. C. Pih)
Messrs. Feng and Co's Black Diamond ... 2
(Mr. L. B. Chao)
Messrs. Hsu and Chui's Opening Batsman ... 3
(Mr. S. C. Liang)

Distance won: Short head, half length between second and third.
Time: 32-1/5, 1-05-4/5, 1-38.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$26.20.
Places: \$10.40, \$10, \$7.30.

At Kowloon Football Club
D. M. Khan, M. Y. Adal, A. R. Dalah and A. K. Minu beat G. Lee, A. Madar, A. W. Ramsey and T. A. Madar 38-13.

C. F. Remedios, A. P. Guterres, J. J. Basto and B. Basto beat A. Bower, J. S. Beach, S. M. White and S. Randle 22-31.



A RECENT picture of the Duke of Gloucester taken at a polo match. (Fox Copyright).

LAWN TENNIS

AMERICAN VICTORIES

Paris, To-day.

In the French lawn tennis championships, women's doubles final, Madame Mathieu and Mlle. Jadze-jowska beat Mlle. Florian and Mlle. Kovac 7-5, 7-5.

In the mixed doubles final, Mrs. Fabyan and Cooke (America) beat Madame Mathieu and Kukuljevic 4-6, 6-1, 7-5.

In the men's doubles final McNeill and Harris beat Borotra and Brugnon 4-6, 6-4, 6-0, 2-6, 10-8.—Reuter.

LAWN BOWLS

LARGE PROGRAMME OF MATCHES

The greater number of remaining second round Open Pairs Lawn Bowls championship ties will be played this afternoon and several good encounters are anticipated.

The holders F. X. Soares and C. M. Silva meet S. Eccleshall and A. W. Grimitt at Craigen-gower while at the Hong Kong Football Club W. R. Hillyer and J. Hollidge meet F. C. Channing and C. Dowman.

The following is the programme:

At Civil Service C.C.
A. A. Razack v W. Hobbs
J. S. Landolt v R. S. Meadows
A. E. Coates v T. L. Lock
B. W. Bradbury v W. K. Way
K. M. Omar v J. W. Leonard
U. M. Omar v W. Ward

At Kowloon C.C.
J. A. Luz v W. J. Burling
L. F. Xavier v E. Kirman
F. V. Ribiero v Chittenden
L. J. Silva v V. Petherick

At Craigen-gower C.C.
A. Madar v A. Steven
T. A. Madar v J. A. R. Selby
F. X. Soares v S. Eccleshall
C. M. Silva v A. W. Grimitt

At Club de Recreio
H. Overy v R. P. Phillips
J. Hyde v G. E. F. Thompson
E. V. Searle v W. Mulcahy
J. Watson v T. W. Carr
T. E. Robson v A. Bower
N. Nish v S. Randle

At Police R.C.
W. Melrose v H. White
J. C. Chalmers v E. E. Atkins

At Hong Kong F.C.
W. R. Hillyer v F. C. Channing
J. Hollidge v C. Dowman

At Kowloon B.G.C.
J. E. Noronha v W. J. Howard
C. G. Silva v H. Gittins
W. V. Field v F. Goodwin
J. Gibson v E. W. Simmons
C. F. Remedios v A. Calman
B. Basto v J. C. Brown

At Kowloon F.C.
W. Glendenning v P. J. Hamilton
W. Mair v E. Pope
A. S. Russell v H. W. Randall
H. G. Cooper v R. Bass
H. A. Alves v G. Tuck
F. V. V. Ribiero v L. R. Whant

At Kowloon D.R.C.
A. E. H. Castro v A. L. Eastman
V. N. Atienza v W. Grove

Successful Tennis Pairings

The following is a list showing the most successful tennis pairings in the League to date:—

"A" DIVISION

	Sets Played	Sets Against	Sets For
W. A. H. Duff and L. Goldman (H.K.C.C.)	6	0	6
E. C. Fincher and G. C. Burnett (K.C.C.)	9	3½	5½
C. K. Chan and B. Szeto (S.C.A.A.)	6	1	5
T. A. Pearce and W. Sander (H.K.C.C.)	6	2	4
H. J. Armstrong and S. M. Garrad (H.K.C.C.)	6	2½	3½
F. C. Wong and K. F. Liu (S.C.A.A.)	3	0	3
H. D. Rumjahn and S. A. Rumjahn (I.R.C.)	3	0	3
A. E. P. Guest and A. Crawford (K.C.C.)	9	6	3
H. A. Barros and C. A. Barretto (C.D.R.)	6	3½	2½
A. V. White and S. A. Gray	3	½	2½
A. V. Remedios and A. M. Rodrigues (C.D.R.)	3	1	2
J. Goncalves and A. V. Remedios (C.D.R.)	3	1	2
W. P. Tsui and W. T. Lee (C.R.C.)	3	1	2
W. C. Hung and P. Kong (C.R.C.)	3	1	2
A. V. Gosano and J. J. Remedios (C.D.R.)	6	4½	1½
Tennie Kwok and K. F. Lim (S.C.A.A.)	3	1½	1½
K. L. Ho and W. Y. Lee (C.R.C.)	3	1½	1½
Ma Chiu-chong and Peter U (H.K.U.)	3	1½	1½
S. H. Ling and P. H. Ong (H.K.U.)	3	1½	1½
A. Chan and J. Hsu (S.C.A.A.)	3	2	1
Stephen Wong and Lim Thian-tet (H.K.U.)	3	2	1
I. M. A. Razack and A. H. Madar (I.R.C.)	3	2½	½
S. A. Gray and F. Grose (K.C.C.)	3	3	0
H. Chan and F. N. Wong (S.C.A.A.)	3	3	0
O. Rumjahn and A. R. Minu (I.R.C.)	3	3	0

"B" DIVISION

	Sets Played	Sets Against	Sets For
A. V. White and F. Grose (K.C.C. "A")	9	½	8½
C. S. Dew and W. F. Lee (S.C.A.A.)	6	0	6
H. K. Ho and H. T. Bee (S.C.A.A.)	6	½	5½
W. M. Gittins and B. Soltan (K.C.C. "A")	9	4½	4½
N. A. E. Mackay and R. T. Broadbridge (K.C.C. "A")	9	4½	4½
W. H. Ho and J. Hsu (S.C.A.A.)	6	2½	3½
D. C. Luk and C. C. Luk (C.R.C.)	3	0	3
F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang (C.R.C.)	3	0	3
S. A. Hussain and S. S. Hussain (K.I.T.C.)	6	3	3
A. M. Silva and F. E. V. Ribeiro (C.D.R.)	3	0	3
Geo. Lai and J. W. Leonard (C.C.C.)	3	½	2½
F. F. Choy and K. C. Ng (C.R.C.)	3	1	2
A. M. Silva and L. F. V. Ribeiro (C.D.R.)	3	1	2
W. A. Reed and M. A. Oliveira (C.D.R.)	3	1	2
Geo. Choa and Geo. Lai (C.C.C.)	3	1	2
E. E. Story and J. J. Ferguson (H.K.C.C.)	3	1	2
B. O'M Deane and W. H. Jowitt (H.K.C.C.)	3	1	2
Capt. A. B. Whatman and T. C. Monaghan (H.K.C.C.)	3	1	2
H. P. Goncalves and W. A. Reed (C.D.R.)	3	1½	1½
I. Agafuroff and B. Agafuroff (C.S.C.C.)	3	1½	1½
Iu Tak-cheuk and C. C. Luk (C.R.C.)	3	2	1
Choy Ping-fan and Ng Kam-chuen (C.R.C.)	3	2	1
M. A. Khan and F. Khan (K.I.T.C.)	3	2	1
H. Goncalves and A. M. Remedios (C.D.R.)	3	2	1
Dr. Ha and P. G. Yu (C.C.C.)	3	2	1
W. S. Howard and E. Zimmern (C.C.C.)	3	2	1
M. A. Oliveira and A. Carvalho (C.D.R.)	3	2½	½
A. L. Fisher and J. L. Turner (K.C.C. "B")	3	2½	½
J. Bendall and W. J. Skinner (C.S.C.C.)	3	2½	½
D. C. Luk and Wong Shiu-wing (C.R.C.)	3	2½	½
F. Khan and M. Khan (K.I.T.C.)	3	3	0
A. Rahman and A. R. Azan (K.I.T.C.)	3	3	0
A. Rahim and G. M. Khan (K.I.T.C.)	3	3	0
R. E. Lee and E. Eymard (K.C.C. "B")	3	3	0
F. A. Broadbridge and D. Hung (K.C.C. "B")	3	3	0
Robert Choa and J. W. Leonard (C.C.C.)	3	3	0
Leo. Choa and Robert Choa (C.C.C.)	3	3	0
S. C. Peck and W. Colledge (C.S.C.C.)	3	3	0

"C" DIVISION

	Sets Played	Sets Against	Sets For
O. L. Pang and W. K. Ma (C.R.C.)	6	0	6
H. Lin and J. E. Ling (K.T.G.C.A.)	6	½	5½
S. L. Ma and C. N. Tsang (C.R.C.)	6	1	5
L. A. Carvalho and A. M. Remedios (C.D.R.)	6	1½	4½
H. A. Noronha and G. A. Noronha (C.D.R.)	6	3	3
T. K. Leung and C. L. Lam (S.C.A.A.)	3	0	3
W. Lomax and W. Long (Y.M.C.A.)	3	0	3
J. Sloan and D. T. Smith (C.B.A.)	6	3	3
Lau Fook-ki and Iu Tak-lam (C.R.C.)	3	0	3
T. K. Leung and C. L. Lau (S.C.A.A.)	3	½	2½
W. H. Wei and M. F. Lee (K.T.G.C.A.)	3	½	2½
C. B. Wong and K. K. Wong (S.C.A.A.)	3	1	2
Y. K. Ng and H. C. Kwok (S.C.A.A.)	3	1	2
H. T. Bee and H. C. Kwok (S.C.A.A.)	3	1	2
M. P. Madar and M. I. Razack (I.R.C. "B")	3	1	2
K. M. Rumjahn and K. Nazarin (I.R.C. "B")	3	1	2
A. R. Kitchell and D. M. Razack (I.R.C. "B")	3	1	2
T. Ali and I. Kitchell (I.R.C. "B")	3	1	2
P. C. Leung and F. K. Lau (C.R.C.)	3	1	2
S. L. Leonard and E. S. Howard (C.C.C.)	3	1	2
P. Chen and P. Fletcher (K.T.G.C.A.)	3	1	2
C. C. Pereira and J. Fonseca (C.D.R.)	3	1½	1½
M. A. Gutierrez and J. Fonseca (C.D.R.)	3	1½	1½
Y. K. Ng and Y. L. Kwan (S.C.A.A.)	3	1½	1½
H. G. Hsu and Y. C. Lee (K.T.G.C.A.)	3	1½	1½
D. Leonard and J. Almeda (Radio)	3	1½	1½
A. M. Remedios and C. C. Pereira (C.D.R.)	3	2	1
M. Gutierrez and J. C. Fonseca (C.D.R.)	3	2	1
C. C. Liu and H. C. Kwok (S.C.A.A.)	3	2	1
Y. L. Kwan and K. K. Wong (S.C.A.A.)	3	2	1
P. Y. Kwok and C. Y. Kwan (S.C.A.A.)	3	2	1
A. R. Markar and F. A. Curreen (I.R.C. "B")	3	2	1
A. R. Kitchell and K. Ismail (I.R.C. "B")	3	2	1
E. Curtis and F. Timm (Y.M.C.A.)	3	2	1
M. Yatskin and V. Knight (C.B.A.)	3	2	1
P. C. Yu and P. C. Chen (C.C.C.)	3	2	1
K. M. Au and G. W. Lee (Radio)	3	2	1
G. H. Fowler and N. Whitley (C.B.A.)	6	5½	½
M. A. Gutierrez and G. A. Noronha (C.D.R.)	3	2½	½
Lam Kwan and D. Chan (K.T.G.C.A.)	3	3½	½
S. A. R. Bux and A. J. Suffad (I.R.C. "B")	3	3	0
D. M. A. Razack and M. R. Abbas (I.R.C. "B")	3	3	0
K. Rumjahn and M. J. Razack (I.R.C. "B")	3	3	0
D. Suard and C. Anstice (Y.M.C.A.)	3	3	0
M. Yatskin and V. Karpushoff (C.B.A.)	3	3	0
S. Cassimboy and S. K. Chang (G.C.C.)	3	3	0
M. Shariff and G. Singh (Radio)	3	3	0

"D" DIVISION

	Sets Played	Sets Against	Sets For
K. Lam and S. M. Lee (K.T.G.C.A.)	3	0	3
P. Chen and P. Fletcher (K.T.G.C.A.)	6	0	6
L. S. Chan and K. M. Lee (K.T.G.C.A.)	6	1	5
Gillard and Crabb (K.C.C.)	6	2	4
Perry and Blyth (K.C.C.)	6	2½	3½
Wai Wei-chung and So Tung-fan (C.R.C.)	3	0	3
C. M. Tsang and H. L. Wong (S.C.A.A.)	3	0	3
Cho Chung-yau and Chiu To-hang (C.R.C.)	3	½	2½
Fung Ying-sing and Chan Chum-ip (Radio)	3	½	2½
B. Baxter and L. G. Buckle (C.S.C.C.)	3	½	2½
Broch and A. Janszowski (K.C.C.)	6	4	2
Cheng Chi-wing and Li Ting-fan (C.R.C.)	3	1	2
K. C. Wong and K. T. Ng (S.C.A.A.)	3	1	2
C. S. Wong and P. Y. Kwok (S.C.A.A.)	3	1	2
W. H. Colledge and J. S. Cooper (C.S.C.C.)	3	1	2
Millard and Anderson (K.D.R.C.)	3	1½	1½
G. J. Peaker and A. W. J. Wright (C.S.C.C.)	3	1½	1½
M. Hassan and A. Bux (I.R.C. "A")	3	2	1
R. A. Marques and A. M. Alves (C.D.R.)	3	2	1
L. G. Gosano and L. Remedios (C.D.R.)	3	2	1
T. Ali and K. Ram (I.R.C. "A")	3	2½	½
So Yan-kit and Tso Kwok-fai (Radio)	3	2½	½
K. Nazarin and S. M. Rumjahn (I.R.C. "B")	3	3	0
M. P. Madar and I. M. A. Razack (I.R.C. "B")	3	3	0
T. Hamet and A. R. Markar (I.R.C. "B")	3	3	0
Lapsley and Thom (K.D.R.C.)	3	3	0
White and Mackenzie (K.D.R.C.)	3	3	0
S. M. Rumjahn and I. Kitchell (I.R.C. "A")	3	3	0
C. d'Almada e Castro and A. E. Noronha (C.D.R.)	3	3	0
Wong King-wai and Ho Tak-fan (Radio)	3	3	0
F. K. Yee and D. Chan	3	1	2

MIXED DOUBLES

	Sets Played	Sets Against	Sets For
E. C. Fincher and Mrs. Burnett (K.C.C. "A")	9	3	6
W. A. H. Duff and Miss M. Griffiths (U.S.R.C.)	6	0	6
Comdr. and Mrs. Clifford (U.S.R.C.)	6	0	6
G. C. Burnett and Mrs. Sweeny (K.C.C. "A")	9	4½	4½
A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Clark (K.C.C. "A")	9	4½	4½
L. Goldman and Miss A. Tylor (U.S.R.C.)	6	1½	4½
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Story (L.R.C.)	6	2	4
T. A. Pearce and Miss D. Dodwell (H.K.C.C.)	9	6	3
W. Sander and Mrs. A. E. Lissaman (H.K.G.C.)	3	0	3
Lt. Tomlinson and Mrs. Clifford (U.S.R.C.)	3	0	3
G. E. R. Divett and Miss M. Griffiths (U.S.R.C.)	3	0	3
W. C. Hung and Mrs. E. Litton (C.R.C.)	2	0	2
Lee Wai-tong and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chin (C.R.C.)	2	0	2
H. J. Armstrong and Mrs. L. R. Andrews (H.K.C.C.)	3	1	2
W. Sander and Miss J. Armstrong (H.K.C.C.)	3	1	2
Capt. Hyde and Miss J. Greig (L.R.C.)	3	1	2
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ferguson (L.R.C.)	3	1	2
Capt. Hyde and Mrs. R. Beavan (L.R.C.)	3	1	2
A. V. Remedios and Miss A. Roza (C.D.R.)	3	1	2
S. A. Gray and Mrs. Smeby (K.C.C. "B")	5	4	1
Paul Kong and Miss Yeung Wai-bun (C.R.C.)	2	1	1
H. J. Armstrong and Mrs. Shewan (H.K.C.C.)	3	2	1
L. Goldman and Mrs. Stokes (U.S.R.C.)	3	2	1
J. J. Ferguson and Miss J. Greig (L.R.C.)	3	2	1
Mrs. Knight and A. V. White (K.C.C. "B")	8	7½	½
D. J. N. Anderson and Miss B. Harker (K.C.C. "B")	2	2	0
D. J. N. Anderson and Miss V. Bradbury	6	6	0
S. A. Gray and Mrs. Eymard (K.C.C. "B")	3	3	0
H. J. Armstrong and Mrs. E. J. R. Mitchell (H.K.C.C.)	3	3	0
A. V. Gosano and Miss A. Remedios (C.D.R.)	3	3	0
J. J. Remedios and Miss O. Riberio (C.D.R.)	3	3	0

TO-DAY'S TENNIS

The following is to-day's tennis programme and some of the teams:—
H.K.U.T.C. v C.D.R.
S.C.A.A. v H.K.C.C.
K.C.C. v I.R.C.

TEAMS

H.K.U.T.C.—Stephen Wong and Lim Thiam Tet; S. H. Ling and C. C. Ma; H. P. On and B. D. Yu.
S.C.A.A.—Albert Chan and J. Wong; C. K. Chan and B. Szeto; T. Kwok and K. F. Liu.
I.R.C.—O. Rumjahn and S. A. Rumjahn; H. D. Rumjahn and A. H. Madar; A. R. Minu and I. M. A. Razack.
C. de R.—H. A. Barros and C. A. Barretto; J. J. Remedios and A. V. Gosano; A. V. Remedios and J. Goncalves.
K.C.C.—E. C. Fincher and G. C. Burnett; A. E. P. Guest and A. Crawford; S. A. Gray and A. N. Other.

ENGLAND'S TEST TEAM

London, To-day.
The English Test team against the West Indies at Lord's on Saturday will be W. R. Hammond (Capt.), Hutton, Verity, Bowes, Dennis Compton, Hardstaff, Wright, Copson, Gimblett, Wood (Yorkshire).—Reuter.

The heavy-weight situation in the States is none too good. It consists of Joe Louis, a few scared ex-champs, and one or two suicidal old gentlemen who consider they've lived long enough anyhow, and wouldn't mind being slaughtered just so long as their end of the purse is big enough to leave to their dependants.—Thomas Woodroffe.

POLO

GREAT BRITAIN WIN! BUT RECEIVE 10 GOALS

Meadow Brook, Long Island, To-day.
—In the third and final match in the polo series for the Westchester Cup, Great Britain, receiving 10 goals, defeated United States 17—14 over eight chukkers. The teams were:—Great Britain—Skene (7), Lakin (7), Balding (8), Tyrrell-Martin (8). United States—Michael Phipps, Neil Smith, Hitchcock, Iglehart (all 10 handicaps).—Reuter.

FRENCH MOTORING VICTORY

Paris, To-day.
At Leman, in the 24 hour motor endurance race, Jean Pierre Wimille and Veryron were first in a Bugatti, completing the 249 laps, covering 3346.106 kilometres and breaking the world record.

Louis Gerard and Monneret, another French team, were second with 245 laps which also broke the record.

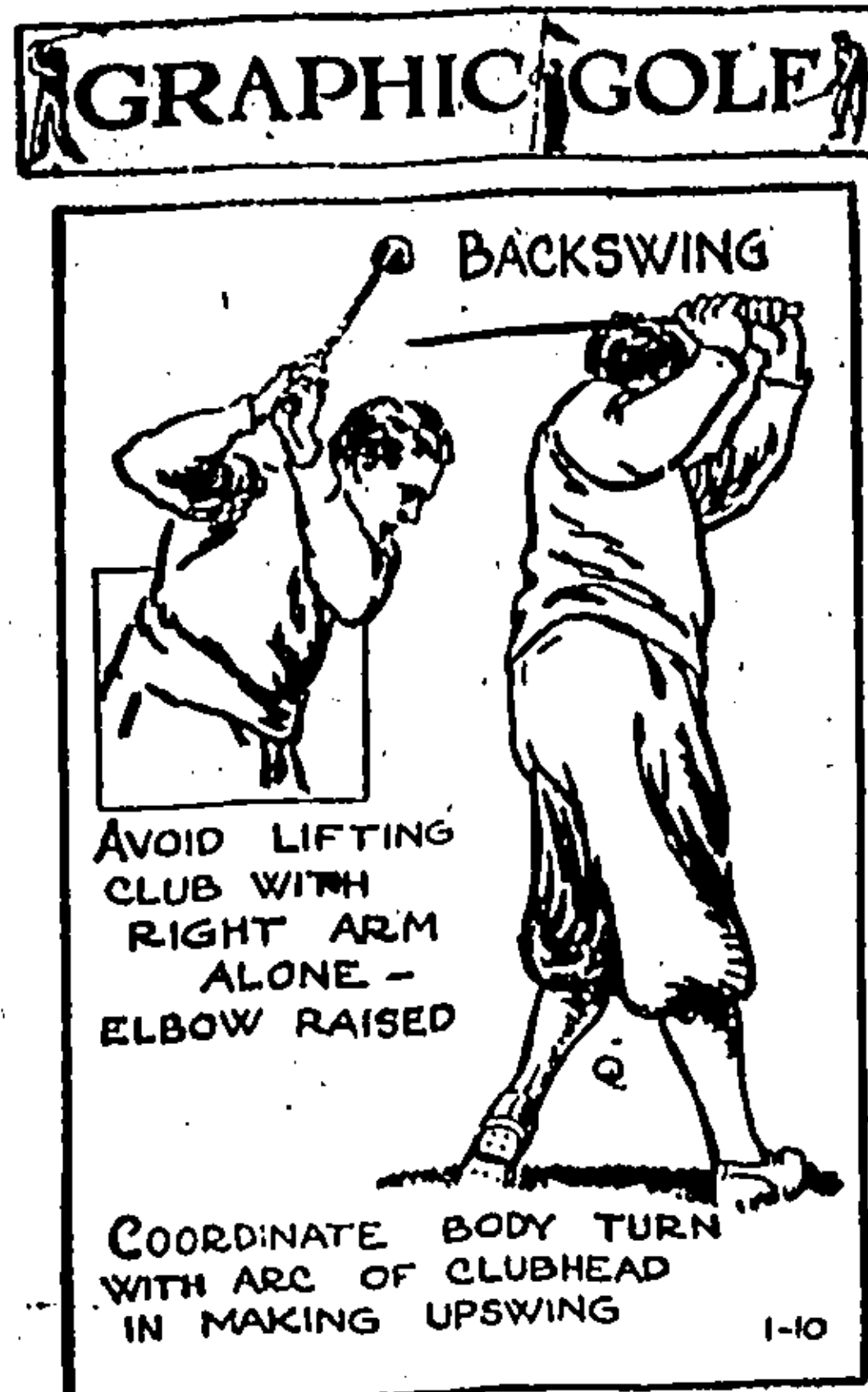
British teams in Lagondas L. C. Brackenbury and A. C. Dobson were third and Lord Slesdon and Lord Waleran fourth, both with 239 laps. — Reuter.

Taking The Club Back

By BEST BALL

Independent arm action in the backswing should be avoided. Lifting the club up with the right arm creates a position at the top of the stroke that is not conducive to accuracy. For instance the right elbow is often forced too far away from the body. In the downswing this factor allows the club-head to swing far out from the body, coming onto the ball from the outside in. This method reduces the bodily power also for the pivot is reduced to a minimum, the body is left largely out of the picture and the muscles of the back, midsection and shoulders are not in a proper position to add their strength to the shot.

In the correct swing, the body is the first to move. This occurs in the left hip which starts turning to the



Other People's Views

Apart from Hagen and Bobby Jones no one else ever made more than a fair living at golf. I, myself, have no great

right, a revolving tendency which is taken up by the straight left arm which pushes the club back and up in response to this body turning pressure. By this method the weight is transferred to the right foot and the body gradually coiled for the downswing effort. By keeping the right arm comfortably close to the right side, the position at the top is one in which the downswing can be kept close to the body and contact the ball either straight ahead along the line of flight or slightly from the inside out. Furthermore there will be an abundance of power behind the blow.

Wednesday.—Chipping Technique.

complaint. I was lucky to be hot during the golden days of the twenties and when I made it I salted it away. I'm complaining on behalf of my fellow professionals who haven't been so fortunate and who are being so shamelessly exploited to-day.—Gene Sarazen.

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It is to be noted that the West Indies batsman, G. Headley, is still compared by some to D. G. Bradman, and indeed, sometimes termed "the black Bradman." This is foolish. There is little resemblance except that both are shortish men apt to make more runs than the opposing bowlers and captains find convenient. Great player as Headley is, he has not the steely, incorruptible certainty of Bradman; their respective styles, too, are wholly different.—A writer in the Observer.

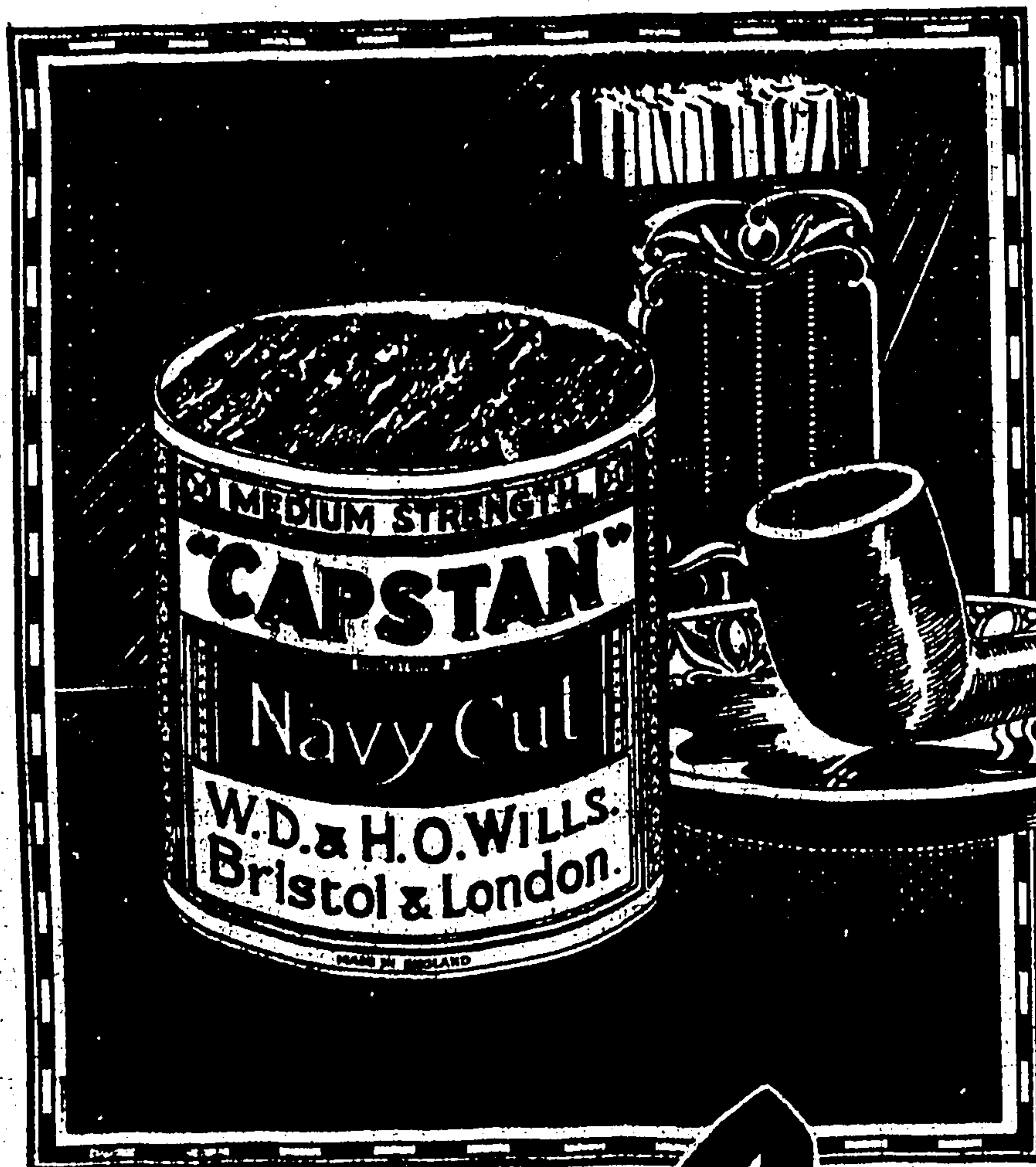
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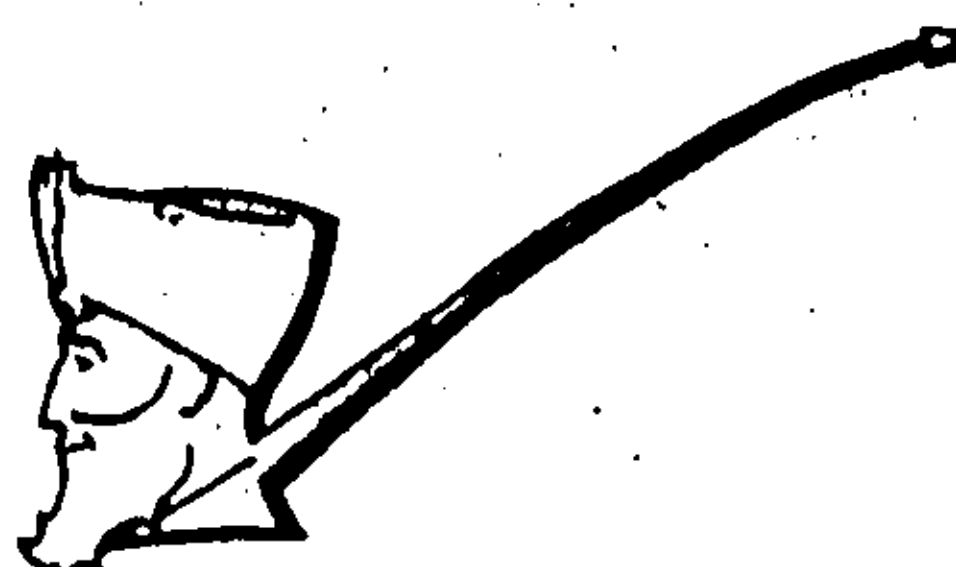
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By Leo Fuller

TIGER SULLIVAN BECAME A BATTLING BRIDEGROOM

THERE are some uproarious tales of negro fighters. Somehow the coloured battler's character lends itself to humour, and his childlike earnestness often makes him the butt of practical joking. There is little to compare with the saga of Tiger Sullivan, a negro middleweight.

The Tiger flourished around New Jersey a few years ago, and boxed with fair success. He was a 'lad' in more ways than one, and, like most coloured fighters, a flashy dresser. One fine morning he was up bright and early, ready to travel with some other fighters two hundred miles up-State to take part in a bout.

Tiger had done himself proud, and was dressed in a cream coloured suit, a bright red tie, spats, and was carrying a cane. When the car drew up in front of his house he swaggered out to greet his pals.

Among them was Willie Patterson, another negro, who was also particular in sartorial matters. But on this occasion he had gone even further, and, in addition to some fancy dress, had covered his travelling bag with boot polish, so that it gleamed and winked in the sun.

The car was pretty crowded, and in order to make room, Tiger had to take the bag and put it on his knees, and in this manner they set out. They

stopped about a couple of hours later for lunch, and the Tiger hopped smartly out of the car and swaggered towards the restaurant. Suddenly his glance fell on his trousers. . . .

From thigh to knee he was smothered in blacking!

With a scream of anguish he flung himself on Willie and belted him on the nose. Willie went into the gutter, but he was up again in a trice, and the two of them closed, fighting like jungle cats in the street. The crowd that collected saw a better fight than they had ever paid to witness, and they had ripped the clothes from each other by the time the police arrived to cart them away to the local calaboose!

Hideous Picture

They presented a hideous picture when hailed before the judge, torn, bleeding and filthy. Bail was set at a thousand dollars and as the others had driven on at the approach of the cops, poor Tiger and Willie spent the night in gaol, and had to wait until next afternoon before they were released by their irate manager, who wrathfully wanted to know why they were breaking the boxer's strictest code—fighting for nothing!

However, Tiger's most sensational exploit was certainly unique in the annals of the ring. In order to drum up some much-needed publicity, a promoter approached Tiger and asked him if he wanted to get married. The Tiger was a little hazy on the point, so the promoter sought out a little coloured girl and asked her if she would like to marry the famous fighter, Tiger

Sullivan. Breathlessly, and with her big eyes rolling, she said she would.

Then the promoter played his trump card, and started beating the publicity drums. He announced through the newspapers that Sullivan would be married in the ring a few minutes before his 'sensational' 10 three-minute round battle with Paddy Quinlan!

The story spread like wildfire, and local tradesmen sent the happy pair all manner of gifts. As Tiger had no home to speak of, he spent most of his time stowing away pieces of furniture around the Stadium, instead of training. But the day before the contest there was a grave hitch in the proceeding. Tiger approached the promoter wearing a worried frown, and said: 'Ya know, Boss, ah isn't shuah' I loves 'dis gal,' he said, 'Ah don't think ah should marry her. Cain't you get me anudder one?'

'Why, Tiger,' replied the boss, in shocked tones, 'if you pull out now it'll ruin the attendance figures!'

Tiger nodded gravely, and replied: 'Dat's different, boss. If it hurts de gate, dat's a different matter entirely. I'll go right ahead and get married as you say!'

Matrimony With Smile

Next evening, resplendent in morning dress, Tiger stepped into the ring and was married to the little coloured girl by the mayor. There was certainly a fine attendance, so he embraced matrimony with a wide smile on his face, as the cheers rang out loud and long for the happy pair.

Unfortunately there was present that evening a man who had scant respect for marriage. He was none other than Paddy Quinlan, who surged to the attack at the first bell, and smashed the bridegroom full in the face with a wicked right swing! Whether or not Tiger's coming responsibilities weighed on his mind will never be known, because the following left hook bit deep into his chin and knocked him kicking to the canvas, where he stayed with a foolish expression on his face, until the referee finished the count!

His wife was sitting at the ringside, and her smiles vanished as she saw her husband thus vanquished. Her subsequent remarks brought home to Tiger that his first impressions had been only too right, and that, attendance or no attendance, the promoter should have got him 'anudder girl. . . !'

Unfortunately, after a series of equally impossible adventures, Tiger Sullivan came to a bad end. He was a good fighter, but, like many a coon, a bad man when drunk. He was also fond of a little razor work, and one night in Baltimore, Maryland, he became involved in a razor duel with another buck. Tiger's flashing steel was that split second too slow, and a few minutes later the police picked him out of the gutter with a neat wound running from ear to ear under his chin. . . .

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To-Morrow.—The Tragic Tale Of Joe Gans, "The Old Master."

SUTCLIFFE AND GIMBLETT SCORE FIVE CENTURIES

Although he was the first batsman to reach 1,000 runs, W. R. Hammond, the England and Gloucester skipper, has made only three centuries this season, but these include the highest score of the season, 302, against Glamorgan, and 192 not out against Warwick.

Harold Gimblett, whose consistent form has been one of the features of the season, together with the veteran Herbert Sutcliffe, tops the list of century-makers with five.

The following is a complete list of centuries scored to Friday:—

- 128 — O'Connor (Essex v M'sex).
- 118* — O'Connor (Essex v Worcester).
- 194 — O'Connor (Essex v Notts).
- 192* — W. R. Hammond (Gloucester v Warwick).
- 302 — W. R. Hammond (Gloucester v Glamorgan).
- 135 — W. R. Hammond (Gloucester v Surrey).
- 287* — Davies, E. (Glamorgan v Gloucester).
- 134 — Davies, E. (Glamorgan v Notts).
- 216 — Davies, D. (Glamorgan v Somerset).
- 179* — Arnold (Hants v Worcester).
- 109 — Arnold (Hants v Warwick).
- 241 — Creese (Hants v Northants).
- 104 — Creese (Hants v Warwick).
- 107 — Walker (Hants v Sussex).
- 100 — Bailey (Hants v Lancs.).
- 115* — Todd (Kent v Glamorgan).
- 143 — Todd (Kent v Sussex).
- 107 — Foster (Kent v Leicester).
- 149 — Fagg (Kent v Hants).
- 201 — B. H. Valentine (Kent v Notts).
- 177 — Ames (Kent v Glamorgan).
- 198 — F. G. H. Chalk (Kent v Sussex).
- 141 — Oldfield (Lancs. v Warwickshire).
- 147* — Oldfield (Lancs. v Notts).
- 159 — Paynter (Lancs. v Leicester).
- 222 — Paynter (Lancs. v Derby).
- 100 — Iddon (Lancs. v Leicestershire).
- 141* — Iddon (Lancs. v Hants).
- 102* — Iddon (Lancs. v Hants).
- 140 — John Langridge (Sussex v Hants).
- 108 — John Langridge (Sussex v Surrey).

- 160 — John Langridge (Sussex v Kent).
- 141 — Parks, H. (Sussex v Leicesters).
- 161 — Parks, H. (Sussex v Glamorgan).
- 127 — Parks, H. (Sussex v Kent).
- 163* — Prentice (Leicester v Cambridge).
- 119 — Prentice (Leicester v Kent).
- 181 — Compton (M'sex v Essex).
- 143 — Compton (M'sex v Hants).
- 103* — Compton (M'sex v Somerset).
- 103* — Timms (Northants v Cambridge).
- 114 — Timms (Northants v Hants).
- 114 — Brookes (Northants v Cambridge).
- 111* — Brookes (Northants v Worcester).
- 104 — Hardstaff (Notts v Kent).
- 114* — Hardstaff (Notts v Surrey).
- 125* — Hardstaff (Notts v Leicester).
- 119 — Gunn (Notts v Glamorgan).
- 100* — Gunn (Notts v Hants).
- 108 — Gimblett (Somerset v Lancs.).
- 103* — Gimblett (Somerset v Sussex).
- 108 — Gimblett (Somerset v Leicesters).
- 108 — Gimblett (Somerset v Gloucester).
- 129 — Gimblett (Somerset v Worcester).
- 155* — Lee (Somerset v Lancs.).
- 151 — Lee (Somerset v Middlesex).
- 101 — Squires (Surrey v Worcester).
- 107* — Squires (Surrey v Sussex).
- 111* — Parker (Surrey v Somerset).
- 107* — Fishlock (Surrey v Sussex).
- 101 — Fishlock (Surrey v Somerset).
- 100* — Fishlock (Surrey v Worcester).
- 116 — Sutcliffe (Yorks v Hampshire).
- 125* — Sutcliffe (Yorks v Oxford).
- 165 — Sutcliffe (Yorks v Lancs.).
- 175 — Sutcliffe (Yorks v M'sex).
- 234* — Sutcliffe (Yorks v Leicestershire).
- 158 — Hutton (Yorks v Warwick).
- 280* — Hutton (Yorks v Hants).
- 102 — Hutton (Yorks v Cambridge).
- 136 — Mitchell (Yorks v Lancs.).
- 102* — Mitchell (Yorks v Northants).
- 112 — Leyland (Yorks v Gloucester).
- 180* — Leyland (Yorks v Middlesex).
- 177 — Dollery (Warwick v Derby).
- 170 — Dollery (Warwick v Hants).
- 146 — Nichols (Essex v Sussex).
- 121 — Avery (Essex v M'sex).

- 120 — Barnett (Gloucester v Lancs.).
- 113 — Brierly (Glamorgan v Notts).
- 169* — Fagg (Kent v Glamorgan).
- 120 — Dyson (Glamorgan v Gloucesters).
- 105 — Jones, E. (Glamorgan v Kent).
- 141 — Smart (Glamorgan v Somerset).
- 102 — M. J. Turnbull (Glamorgan v Kent).
- 115 — Holt (Hampshire v Warwick).
- 135 — Hopwood (Lancs v Hants).
- 109* — Nutter (Lancs. v Notts).
- 116 — James Langridge (Sussex v Glamorgan).
- 131 — Armstrong (Leicester v Cambridge).
- 105* — Armstrong (Leicester v Oxford).
- 165* — C. S. Dempster (Leicester v Yorks).
- 196 — Harris (Notts v Essex).
- 116 — G. F. H. Heane (Notts v Leicester).
- 138 — G. F. H. Heane (Notts v Hants).
- 104 — Voce (Notts v Cambridge).
- 134 — E. D. R. Eager (Oxford v Free Foresters).
- 105* — Gregory (Surrey v Worcester).
- 140* — N. W. D. Yardley (Yorks v Cambridge).
- 103 — Buse (Somerset v Worcester).
- 115 — R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwick v Lancs.).
- 105* — Ord (Warwick v Hants).
- 102 — Cooper (Worcester v Somerset).
- 123 — Smith (Derby v Worcester).
- 132 — Palmer (Worcester v Northants).
- 128 — Palmer (Worcester v Glamorgan).
- 222* — Gibbons (Worcestershire v Northants).
- 102 — Martin (Worcestershire v Hants).
- 111* and 100* — Gibbons (Worcester v Hants).
- 106 — A. H. Broadhurst (Cambridge v Yorks).
- 111 — A. H. Broadhurst (Cambridge v Leicester).
- 180 — J. Thompson (Cambridge v Leicester).
- 128 — F. G. Mann (Cambridge v Leicester).
- 104 — Grimstone (Army v Cambridge).

- 145 — Capt. C. W. C. Packe (Army v Cambridge).

- 143 — N. S. Mitchell-Innes (Free Foresters v Oxford).

- 104 — G. D. Kemp-Welch (Free Foresters v Cambridge).

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12-12.20 p.m.—Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.
12.30 p.m.—Excerpts from Wagner's Operas.
1 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m.—Albert Sandler (Violin) and His Orchestra.
La Tosca—Fantasie (Puccini—arr. Tavan); Down In The Forest (Sir L. Ronald).....Albert Sandler & His Orchestra.
Largo (Handel); Londonderry Air (Trad.).....Albert Sandler (Violin) with Sidney Torch at the Organ.
Hassan—Serenade (Darius); None But The Weary Heart (Tchaikowsky—arr. Mulder).....Albert Sandler and His Orchestra.
Shy Serenade (George Scott Wood). Victor Herbert Melodies: (a) Kiss Me Again; (b) Gypsy Love Song.....Albert Sandler Trio.
Give Me Back My Heart (from 'Symphony in Two Flats').....Albert Sandler and His Orchestra.
1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.
1.40 p.m.—Latest Dance Music and Variety.
Fox-Trots—The Masquerade Is Over; Hurry Home.... Jack Hylton and His Orchestra.
Vocal & Piano—Honey Chile (Strauss & Dale); Deep In A Dream (de Lange & van Heusen).....Turner Layton.
Fox-Trots—Flop; Flip.... Joe Venuti and His Orchestra.
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Waltz—Mexicali Rose.... Oscar Rabin and His Romany Band.
Fox-Trot—I Ups To Her And She Ups To Me.... Barry Wood and His Music.
2.15 p.m.—Close down.
6 p.m.—"For the Children".
Gracie In The Children's Ward..... Gracie Fields assisted by Jack Jackson and His Orchestra.
Radio Hour In The Children's Ward..... Marriott Edgar, Cicely Courtneidge, Paul Robeson and Jack Jackson & His Orchestra.
New Nursery Tunes For Old Nursery Rhymes.... Vocal with Orchestra.
Studio—Serial Story
Songs Of The Sandman. Intro: The Green-Eyed Dragon; Five Eyes; The Mare and the Foal; Tally Ho! Wilfrid Thomas (Baritone) with Piano.
6.30 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations.
6.32 p.m.—Charlie Kunz at the Piano.
Charlie Kunz Piano Medley No. R. 23. Intro: A Star Fell Out of Heaven; Serenade in the Night; A Fine Romance; No Regrets; When the Poppies Bloom Again; This'll Make You Whistle.
Kunz Revivals No. 1. Intro: If you could care for me; Kiss me again; Bitter Sweet; Some of these days; With a song in my heart; Night and Day.
6.45 p.m.—London Relay—"Cricket in the Seven Seas", by Thomas Wood-

rooffe.
7 p.m.—London Relay—Music-Hall, including Clapham and Dwyer in another Spot of Bother. The B.B.C. Variety Orchestra conducted by Charles Shadwell. Presented by John Sharman.
8 p.m.—Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.
8.03 p.m.—Gershwin—Rhapsody In Blue. Boston Orchestra conducted by Arthur Fiedler with J. M. Sanroma at the Piano.
8.20 p.m.—Gershwin—Foggy And Bess—Selection. Anne Ziegler and Webster Booth (Vocal) with Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel Orpheans.
8.30 p.m.—Orchestra Mascotte and Lucienne Boyer (Vocal).
Espana—Waltz (Waldteufel); Die Werber—Waltz (Lanner—arr. Hohne)....Orchestra Mascotte.
This Is The Kiss Of Romance (Deletre); Dancing With My Darling (from 'Continental Varieties').... Lucienne Boyer (Vocal).
Roses Of The South—Waltz (Joh. Strauss); Enjoy Life—Waltz (Joh. Strauss)....Orchestra Mascotte.
Entraîneuse (Tahet); Mon Meilleur Ami (Tahet)....Lucienne Boyer (Vocal).
Women Of Vienna—Waltz (John. Strauss—arr. Hohne); "Du und Du" Waltz (from 'Die Fledermaus')—John. Strauss).... Orchestra Mascotte.
9 p.m.—Choral Singing.
When Evening's Twilight (Hatton); Sweet And Low (Tennyson-Barnby)....The Salisbury Singers unaccompanied.
The Student Prince—Serenade (Donnelly & Romberg); Drinking Song.... Allan Prior, Raymond Marlowe, Paul Clemon, Olaf Olson and Chorus with Orchestra.
9.15 p.m.—London Relay—The News.
9.30 p.m.—Reginald Foort at the Organ.
Lover, Come Back To Me ('New Moon'—Romberg).
One Kiss ('New Moon'—Romberg).
"The King Steps Out" Medley (Kreisler).
Reminiscences Of Friml. Intro: Indian Love Call; The Mounties; Chanson; The door of my dreams.

9.45 p.m.—London Relay—Sports News and Market Notes.
9.50 p.m.—Selections from Gilbert and Sullivan's "Iolanthe".
Fare Thee Well, Attractive Stranger....Bertha Lewis & Chorus of Girls.
Good Morrow, Good Lover!; None Shall Part Us....Winifred Lawson and Leslie Rands.
Loudly Let The Trumpet Bray!.... Chorus of Men.
Bow, Bow, Ye Lower Middle Classes.... Chorus of Men.
The Law Is The True Embodiment....George Baker & Chorus of Men.
Strephon's A Member Of Parliament....Mixed Chorus.
When Britain Really Ruled The Waves....Darrell Fancourt and Mixed Chorus.
In Vain To Us You Plead.... Nellie Walker, Alice Moxon, Derek Oldham, Darrell Fancourt and Chorus of Girls.
Oh, Foolish Fay....B. Lewis and Chorus of Girls.
Tho' P'raps I May Incur Your Blame....Winifred Lawson, Derek Oldham, Darrell Fancourt and Sydney Granville.
10.15 p.m.—A Dance Programme.
Fox-Trots—Heaven Can Wait; There's A Ranch In The Rockies....Jack Harris & His Orchestra.
Fox-Trot—Boogie Woogie Prayer.... Meade Lux Lewis, Pete Johnson, and Albert Sammons on Three Pianos.
Quickstep—Running Around.... Harry Robbins (Xylophone and Vibraphone) and The Four Bright Sparks.
Fox-Trot—Treadlin'.... Harry Robbins (Vibraphone) and The Four Bright Sparks.
Fox-Trot—Let's Stop The Clock.... Geraldo & His Orchestra.
March—A Ball In Madeira; Tango—Black Orchids.... Oskar Joost Tango Orchestra.
Fox-Trot—I Can't Get You Out Of My Mind; Quickstep—Hold Tight.... Jack Hylton & His Orchestra.
Fox-Trots—Small Fry; Is That The Way To Treat A Sweetheart?.... Music In The Ruse Morgan Manner.
Fox-Trot—My First Goodnight.... Harry Leader & His Band.
11 p.m.—Close down.

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 ♦ J 9 8 3
 ♣ 8 6
 ♠ 5 4
 ♥ 7 6 4
 ♦ 10 5
 ♣ J 10 7 4
 ♠ 6 3 2
 ♥ K Q 10 9
 ♦ A Q 2
 ♣ A Q 9

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	1♠	Pass
2NT	Pass	3♦	Pass
3NT	Pass	6NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

William D. Lee of Evanston, Ill., who was Declarer in to-day's hand, writes as follows: "When the dummy came down, I almost fell off my chair, but recovered sufficiently to take the spade lead in the dummy and lead a heart to the King, which West pounced upon and led another spade (a duck by West would have made it tougher). Three rounds of diamonds showed West to be holding the best diamond.

"At this point, West, who had noted his partner's high-low in spades for count, spoke up for the benefit of the fair kibitzer on his left. 'My watch goes with this one. You have a 4-3-3-3 distribution, so give us 100 points and get on to a new deal.'

"I now counted West for the guarded Jack of hearts, the good diamond and the spade stopper. If this were the case, three rounds of clubs would kill him. Sure enough,

the third club found the 'orator' caught in a three-point squeeze. "I didn't get the watch, but at least got some satisfaction as the fair kibitzer moved her chair from West's left around to the southern end of the table."

David Bruce Burnstone was your partner yesterday. Neither side was vulnerable, and you held:

♠ Q J 10 x x x
 ♥ x
 ♦ A x x
 ♣ x x

The bidding:

Maier	Burnstone	Jacoby	You
1♣	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	Pass	2♥	(?)

ANSWER: Your correct bid is three spades. In spite of the fact that your partner dropped the bidding at one spade, you still see distinct game possibilities, and wish to encourage your partner to contract for game. At the same time, although it is a strong invitation, he may pass.

Score 100% for three spades, 70% for two spades, 50% for four spades, 0 for any other bid.

QUESTION NO. 129

Neither side is vulnerable. You are Merwin Maier's partner and hold:

♠ A J x x
 ♥ K Q 9 x x
 ♦ 10 9 x x

The bidding:

Maier	Schenken	You	Jacoby
1♣	Pass	1♦	1♥
2NT	Pass	(?)	

What do you bid? (Answer tomorrow.)

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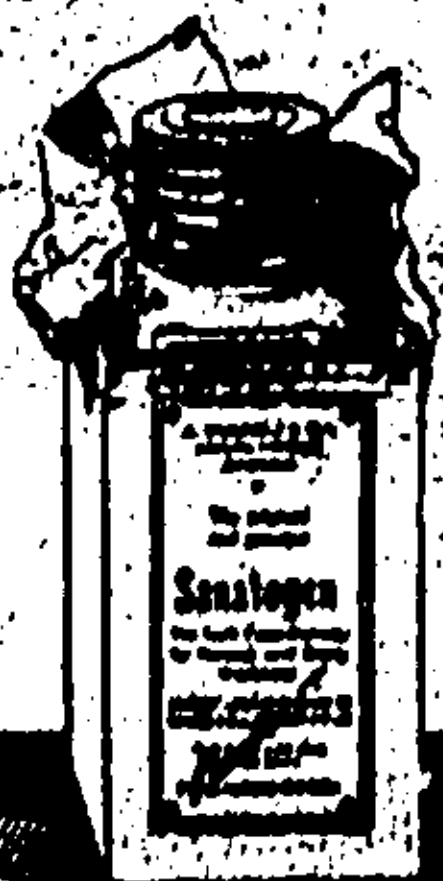
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COURT COMEDY: CHARGE AND COUNTER-CHARGE

A Portuguese youth, S. A. Williams, aged 21, of No. 30, Poplar Street, first floor, and a Chinese youth, Wong Yee, aged 23, of Yu Chau Street, were brought before Mr. E. Himsworth this morning on a charge of larceny of a bicycle.

They pleaded not guilty and accused each other of stealing.

An alternative charge of receiving was preferred against them.

Det.-Sgt. A. Shaw, prosecuting, said that a tailor, Hau Kam-tim, left his bicycle in front of No. 43, Ashley Road on June 11 and when he came out the bicycle was gone.

On Saturday, the tailor's foki saw the bicycle outside a shop in Peiho Street.

The Chinese youth said the bicycle had been handed to him by the Portuguese for sale as the latter was going to Singapore, and that he sold it to the shop in Peiho Street.

The Portuguese youth brought the same charge against the Chinese youth.

Both were remanded for 24 hours.

FEW YARDS RIDE COST HIM \$50

A locksmith, Li Kam, aged 23, appeared this morning before Mr. E. Himsworth charged with driv-

JENGHIZ KHAN'S BODY MOVED BY CHINESE

LONDON, TO-DAY.

THE REMAINS OF JENGHIZ KHAN, THE MONGOLIAN CONQUEROR, WHICH SINCE HIS DEATH IN THE YEAR 1227 HAVE RESTED IN PAO-TAO, IN THE PROVINCE OF SUIYUAN, HAVE, ACCORDING TO REPORTS RECEIVED HERE YESTERDAY, BEEN REMOVED BY THE CHINESE TO PREVENT THEIR FALLING INTO THE HANDS OF JAPANESE TROOPS.

After his death, Jenghiz Khan was embalmed and laid in a silver coffin which, after long peregrinations, at last reached Pao-Tao, which the Mongolian conqueror had himself named as his last resting place.

The tomb has since then been one of the holiest shrines of the Chinese people. The site of the new grave is being kept a strict secret by the Chinese authorities.

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ing a private car, No. 5721, without a driving licence, without owner's permission and without lights.

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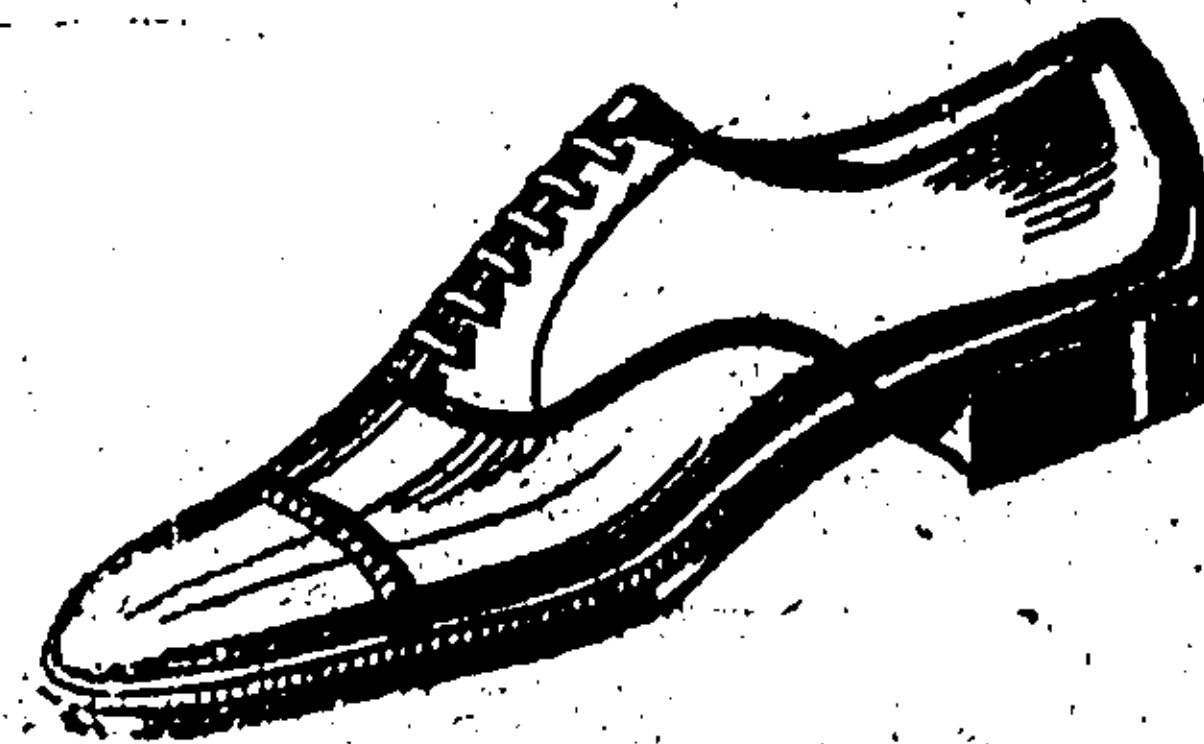
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